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OF THE

GOVERNMENT STATISTICIAN ON AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION FOR THE YEAR 1917.

1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031	2032	2033	2034	2035	2036	2037	2038	2039	2040	2041	2042	2043	2044	2045	2046	2047	2048	2049	2050	2051	2052	2053	2054	2055	2056	2057	2058	2059	2060	2061	2062	2063	2064	2065	2066	2067	2068	2069	2070	2071	2072	2073	2074	2075	2076	2077	2078	2079	2080	2081	2082	2083	2084	2085	2086	2087	2088	2089	2090	2091	2092	2093	2094	2095	2096	2097	2098	2099	2100
1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031	2032	2033	2034	2035	2036	2037	2038	2039	2040	2041	2042	2043	2044	2045	2046	2047	2048	2049	2050	2051	2052	2053	2054	2055	2056	2057	2058	2059	2060	2061	2062	2063	2064	2065	2066	2067	2068	2069	2070	2071	2072	2073	2074	2075	2076	2077	2078	2079	2080	2081	2082	2083	2084	2085	2086	2087	2088	2089	2090	2091	2092	2093	2094	2095	2096	2097	2098	2099	2100

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DAIRYING.

B.

TABLE SHOWING THE PROGRESS OF THE DAIRYING INDUSTRY SINCE THE YEAR 1909.

Year.	Dairying Establishments, Exclusive of Factories.	DAIRY COWS.				Production of Butter.	Production of Cheese.
		In Milk.	Dry.	Total.			
					1890	Lb. *2,000,000	Lb. *170,240
					1895	3,719,523	1,841,799
					1900	8,680,389	1,984,705
1909 ...	15,279	228,497	105,342	333,839	1905	20,319,976	2,682,089
1910 ...	16,079	262,788	102,656	365,444	1910	31,258,333	4,146,661
1911 ...	16,225	237,997	119,098	357,095	1911	27,858,535	3,718,257
1912 ...	16,579	267,847	107,813	375,660	1912	30,307,339	3,947,615
1913 ...	17,866	285,403	106,036	391,439	1913	35,199,387	5,395,050
1914 ...	18,029	288,334	98,977	387,311	1914	37,230,240	7,931,869
1915 ...	17,876	218,511	116,732	335,243	1915	25,456,714	4,383,410
1916 ...	18,410	247,855	95,456	343,311	1916	28,967,279	8,495,825
1917 ...	19,404	303,133	96,375	399,508	1917	38,930,690	11,142,114

* Estimated.

B a.

DETAILS OF THE PRINCIPAL DAIRYING DIVISIONS FOR THE YEAR 1917.

District.	Total Milk Obtained.	HOW UTILISED.						
		For Butter on Farms.	For Cheese on Farms.	For Domestic Purposes by Producer.	Separated for Sale.	Sold for Consumption as Milk.	Sold to Condensed Milk Factories.	Sold to Cheese Factories.
	Gallons.	Gallons.	Gallons.	Gallons.	Gallons.	Gallons.	Gallons.	Gallons.
Moreton	42,227,531	1,633,198	57,334	2,058,340	34,187,591	2,682,070	1,273,557	335,441
Wide Bay	27,161,966	1,381,567	13,338	1,190,453	23,586,435	250,124	...	740,049
Port Curtis	3,428,263	342,656	...	196,974	2,641,117	247,516	...	...
Downs	26,611,149	1,140,309	30	1,301,939	13,226,465	343,536	1,619,113	8,979,757
Other Districts	5,955,120	732,012	129,293	763,250	3,929,338	376,620	...	24,607
Total, 1917	105,384,029	5,229,742	199,995	5,510,956	a 77,570,946	3,899,866	2,892,670	10,079,854
Total, 1916	86,938,380	5,027,014	73,844	5,426,020	b 62,351,401	3,774,347	1,964,278	8,321,476
Increase, 1917	18,445,649	202,728	126,151	84,936	15,219,545	125,519	928,392	1,758,378
Decrease, 1917 ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

District.	ESTABLISHMENTS.			DAIRY CATTLE.		BUTTER MADE.			CHEESE MADE.		
	Dairying.	Butter Factories.	Cheese Factories.	In Milk.	Dry.	At Factories.	By Farmers.	Total.	At Factories.	By Farmers.	Total.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Lb.	Lb.	Lb.	Lb.	Lb.	Lb.
Moreton	7,405	18	8	126,237	32,849	16,238,424	703,147	16,941,571	196,202	47,886	243,588
Wide Bay	4,312	11	7	78,578	22,468	9,777,629	533,190	10,310,819	1,035,398	13,335	1,048,733
Port Curtis	783	3	...	14,884	9,527	1,400,426	115,381	1,515,707	...	...	...
Downs	4,721	13	66	64,590	19,271	7,490,794	482,162	7,972,956	9,717,754	30	9,717,784
Other Districts	2,183	2	2	18,844	12,260	1,946,758	242,879	2,189,637	24,222	107,787	132,009
Total, 1917	19,404	47	83	303,133	96,375	36,854,031	2,076,659	38,930,690	10,973,576	168,538	11,142,114
Total, 1916	18,410	50	67	247,855	95,456	26,924,423	2,042,856	28,967,279	8,423,920	71,905	8,495,825
Increase, 1917	994	...	16	55,278	919	9,929,608	33,803	9,963,411	2,549,656	96,633	2,646,289
Decrease, 1917 ... ..	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

a 1,313,483 gallons of this were sent from the Moreton Division to New South Wales.
b 1,608,617 gallons of this were sent from the Moreton Division to New South Wales.

B b.

BUTTER.

QUANTITY EXPORTED FOR FIVE YEARS.

Butter Exported Oversea.				1913.	1914. Six Months.	1914-15.	1915-16.	1916-7.
Quantity (lb.) ... ..	...	...	...	18,494,256	9,570,140	14,134,135	2,353,989	17,945,023
Value ... ..	...	...	...	£855,456	£427,742	£697,437	£136,232	£1,285,169
Average value per lb. ... ..	...	...	...	11d.	10 ³ / ₄ d.	12d.	1s. 2 ³ / ₄ d.	1s. 5 ¹ / ₄ d.

NOTE.—Butter sent to other States not included in above.

B c.

CONDENSED MILK MANUFACTURED.

	Lb.
1912	7,923,381
1913	8,059,051
1914	6,967,486
1915	5,368,510
1916	6,584,272
1917	9,409,059

POULTRY.

B d.

DETAILS RESPECTING PRINCIPAL DISTRICTS, 1917.

Petty Sessions District.	Fowls.	Ducks.	Geese.	Turkeys.	Other.	Eggs.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Doz.
Allora	11,714	405	12	180	...	21,298
Beaudesert	13,763	1,238	151	757	131	36,688
Brisbane (A)	37,579	2,822	77	85	...	170,679
Brisbane (B)	18,603	2,050	18	57	9	60,473
Bundaberg	19,225	677	193	372	23	74,737
Cairns	16,020	971	36	110	33	50,551
Clifton	23,133	516	4	246	19	67,182
Crow's Nest	13,244	359	119	229	...	36,895
Dalby	25,123	1,268	137	1,864	16	87,112
Dugandan	39,786	2,596	403	313	79	151,511
Esk	16,471	1,098	470	926	261	64,904
Gatton	27,393	1,869	952	235	94	80,051
Gayndah	13,824	301	43	334	19	39,090
Gladstone	11,940	489	89	346	33	42,982
Gympie	25,063	2,159	99	553	72	84,805
Harrisville	25,926	1,953	178	626	68	115,199
Helidon	11,256	548	55	57	8	31,101
Herberton	23,360	826	34	439	17	59,816
Highfields	9,509	333	15	84	...	45,730
Ipswich	9,311	550	45	137	24	42,418
Jondaryan	8,484	112	15	270	...	33,970
Killarney	9,660	281	46	202	11	19,399
Laidley	19,837	2,760	924	218	31	56,752
Logan	17,043	1,590	208	131	50	74,635
Lowood	16,009	2,214	781	126	14	62,713
Mackay	28,442	1,186	113	133	110	68,849
Maroochy	27,097	1,597	92	167	40	92,181
Maryborough	13,567	1,221	81	157	20	60,835
Nanango	31,204	1,055	86	741	121	74,062
Nerang	9,601	794	24	171	4	25,858
Oakey	19,954	514	71	401	9	60,065
Pittsworth	20,366	330	29	610	58	88,020
Redcliffe	11,967	757	70	88	1	42,001
Rockhampton	27,058	1,235	151	448	122	109,442
Rosewood	19,993	1,193	128	272	41	91,777
Toowoomba	20,550	479	36	189	...	60,825
Townshend	12,314	1,795	246	58	94	48,428
Warwick	27,658	710	127	831	10	76,309
Wienholt	25,864	1,458	216	966	185	67,586
All other Districts	175,691	9,607	666	6,812	522	561,341
Totals, 1917	939,602	53,916	7,240	21,041	2,349	3,143,770
Totals, 1916	821,016	38,499	7,196	21,046	2,925	2,782,914
Increase, 1917	118,586	15,417	44	...	...	360,856
Decrease, 1917	...	...	...	5	576	...

N.B.—Brisbane (B) refers to South Brisbane.

APIARIES.

B e.

PARTICULARS FOR 1917.

Petty Sessions District.	No. of Hives.		Honey.	Average per Productive Hive.	Wax.	Petty Sessions District.	No. of Hives.		Honey.	Average per Productive Hive.	Wax.
	Productive.	Non-Productive.					Productive.	Non-Productive.			
			Lb.	Lb.	Lb.				Lb.	Lb.	Lb.
Allora	74	7	2,370	32	30	Lowood	129	89	6,050	47	32
Brisbane (A)	637	85	23,790	37	248	Maroochy	498	253	16,260	33	412
Brisbane (B)	175	138	4,732	27	64	Maryborough	498	193	24,368	49	697
Bundaberg	163	125	8,898	55	181	Nerang	230	69	8,218	36	166
Caboolture	863	252	51,270	59	820	Oakey	133	77	4,990	38	83
Clermont	...	70	...	...	...	Redcliffe	250	46	8,318	33	178
Clifton	190	45	7,850	41	55	Rockhampton	764	167	52,495	69	651
Cook	224	4	9,500	42	425	Roma	226	121	23,727	105	181
Dalby	364	185	32,581	89	598	Rosewood	130	92	4,130	32	92
Dugandan	256	108	7,766	30	...	Southport	378	58	11,132	29	189
Esk	112	73	4,503	40	74	Stanthorpe	170	198	7,870	46	178
Gatton	212	127	10,134	48	150	Tiaro	96	54	6,100	64	106
Goodna	266	179	15,020	56	174	Toowoomba	357	132	7,130	20	30
Gympie	793	375	50,713	64	505	Warwick	999	249	114,704	115	1,497
Harrisville	83	111	2,818	34	10	All other Districts	1,954	865	123,749	63	1,155
Helidon	83	68	3,570	43	48						
Herberton	83	11	3,430	41	116	Totals, 1917	13,487	5,235	771,015	57	11,519
Ipswich	138	87	4,575	33	400	Totals, 1916	9,062	5,283	352,099	39	7,042
Killarney	998	284	77,790	78	1,110	Increase, 1917	4,425	...	418,916	18	4,477
Laidley	190	101	12,300	65	130	Decrease, 1917	...	48
Logan	771	157	18,164	24	734						

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C.

RETURN SHOWING PROGRESS OF HOLDINGS AND AREA CULTIVATED.

Year.	Number of Holdings Returned.	Increase per cent. on Previous Year.	Increase per cent. on Figures of 1904.	Area under Cultivation.	Increase per cent. on Previous Year.	Increase per cent. on Figures for 1904.
1907 ...	19,272	1·8	7·9	642,979	7·38	11·26
1908 ...	19,898	3·2	11·4	650,472	1·17	12·56
1909 ...	21,144	6·3	18·4	738,447	13·52	27·78
1910 ...	22,023	4·1	23·4	794,826	7·63	37·54
1911 ...	22,276	1·1	24·8	779,800	— 1·89	34·94
1912 ...	22,976	3·1	28·7	844,420	8·29	46·12
1913 ...	23,472	2·2	31·5	920,010	8·95	59·20
1914 ...	24,553	4·6	37·5	981,218	6·65	69·79
1915 ...	24,828	1·11	39·06	1,059,401	7·97	83·32
1916 ...	25,713	3·56	44·02	1,077,342	1·69	86·42
1917 ...	25,872	0·62	44·91	998,036	— 7·36	72·70

The minus sign (—) implies a decrease.

Ca.

RETURN SHOWING LABOUR EMPLOYED AND THE CAPITAL INVESTED IN FARMING MACHINERY, ETC.

PETTY SESSIONS DISTRICT.	LABOUR.				VALUE OF MACHINERY AND IMPLEMENTS.					
	Farming.		Dairying.		Farming.	Dairying.	Irrigation.	Travelling Machinery.	Total.	
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	£	£	£	£	£	
Allora	277	1	134	107	43,215	4,112	200	3,875	51,402	
Ayr	1,019	...	11	23	61,968	203	145,271	...	207,442	
Beaudesert	398	1	303	455	20,857	16,047	130	...	37,034	
Biggenden	168	7	400	268	9,113	12,570	...	...	21,683
Brisbane (A)	816	31	342	252	16,944	4,598	1,828	...	23,370	
Brisbane (B)	253	46	159	105	6,749	2,490	440	150	9,829	
Bundaberg	1,758	10	125	155	52,399	7,941	22,810	3,000	86,150	
Cairns	988	12	32	11	36,613	541	170	...	37,324	
Childers	665	2	65	136	25,451	1,241	250	...	26,942	
Clifton	738	3	135	308	76,727	7,791	240	2,420	87,178	
Crow's Nest	457	1	144	398	16,275	5,403	...	290	21,968	
Dalby	752	11	863	594	55,251	19,707	80	3,090	78,128	
Dugandan	756	57	610	532	35,956	7,161	630	430	44,177	
Esk	477	78	439	262	26,108	5,553	1,316	1,245	34,222	
Gatton	927	101	561	441	48,033	6,999	29	290	55,351	
Gayndah	311	31	404	392	15,547	9,796	...	...	25,343
Goombungee	176	2	16	115	12,418	2,721	...	900	16,039	
Gympie	463	8	1,272	1,048	16,487	33,722	200	70	50,479	
Harrisville	550	85	371	275	23,327	5,628	470	283	29,708	
Helidon	295	3	108	269	13,561	4,090	220	55	17,926	
Herberton	741	13	434	324	15,382	20,420	1,113	410	37,325	
Ingham	768	8	...	3	44,328	173	600	500	45,601	
Ipswich	231	1	202	184	6,251	3,072	1,203	...	10,526	
Jondaryan	206	...	123	88	15,042	3,095	350	120	18,607	
Killarney	382	3	117	183	33,831	2,644	1,085	4,540	42,100	
Laidley	655	44	100	372	37,867	5,707	...	916	44,490	
Logan	656	126	419	378	14,268	5,285	...	105	19,658	
Lowood	354	2	176	250	17,729	3,566	...	...	21,295
Mackay	2,439	202	26	67	110,248	1,579	635	300	112,762	
Maroochy	795	36	647	411	14,949	17,781	101	...	32,831	
Maryborough	632	19	159	186	16,727	3,813	272	...	20,812	
Nanango	720	13	523	469	57,419	13,257	485	1,777	72,938	
Nerang	245	3	487	374	8,172	16,410	117	430	25,129	
Oakey	624	6	396	357	43,400	7,313	350	1,752	52,815	
Pittsworth	786	84	338	379	73,640	8,542	968	679	83,829	
Redcliffe	408	4	277	249	9,885	5,484	1,190	200	16,759	
Rockhampton	685	42	373	246	28,274	9,046	11,332	821	49,473	
Roma	398	12	124	229	27,935	3,553	...	30	31,518	
Rosewood	420	14	422	329	14,971	4,875	200	330	20,376	
Tiaro	406	4	330	236	12,298	4,924	30	...	17,252	
Toowoomba	704	145	384	299	30,786	8,036	4,562	2,050	45,434	
Townshend	235	...	107	260	10,381	2,733	...	140	13,254	
Warwick	1,031	27	441	375	62,831	5,075	100	8,650	76,656	
Wienholt	615	12	630	423	58,993	19,544	...	4,565	83,102	
All other Districts	6,011	255	1,705	3,172	196,439	43,202	30,010	8,641	278,292	
Total, 1917	33,391	1,565	15,434	15,989	1,575,145	377,343	228,987	53,054	2,234,529	
Total, 1916	33,935	1,491	13,040	12,154	1,464,889	302,158	229,030	47,890	2,043,967	
Increase, 1917 ... ..	..	74	2,394	3,835	110,256	75,185	...	5,164	190,562
Decrease, 1917	544	...	...	...	...	...	43	...	...

N.B.—Brisbane (B) refers to South Brisbane.

C b.

SUMMARY OF LAND TREATED FOR CULTIVATION, ETC., 1917.

—								1916.	1917.
								Acres.	Acres.
Under crop	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	885,259	727,958
In fallow	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	78,733	86,801
New ground broken up...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14,029	7,858
Previously cropped, but not during 1915 and 1916 respectively	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	99,311	175,119
Under cultivation	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,077,332	998,036*
Under permanent artificially sown grasses	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	363,876	406,094
Grand total	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,441,208	1,404,130

* See C e. for details of areas and owners.

C c.

LAND SELECTED DESTINED TO BECOME FREEHOLD.

Year.						Acres.	Year.						Acres.
1907	...	...	...	...	...	1,308,718	1913	...	...	...	...	1,086,825
1908	...	...	...	...	...	1,555,935	1914	...	...	...	...	1,140,492
1909	...	...	...	...	...	1,278,436	1915	...	...	...	...	789,572
1910	...	...	...	...	...	1,969,819	1916	...	...	...	...	305,500
1911	...	...	...	...	...	1,756,347	1917	...	...	...	...	Nil
1912	...	...	...	...	...	1,261,712						

C d.

VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL CROPS.

—								1916.	1917.	Increase or — Decrease.
								£	£	£
Grain crops	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,384,883	872,487	— 512,396
Green forage	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	582,245	439,545	— 142,700
Hay and straw	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	811,468	579,486	— 231,982
Root crops	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	270,977	236,184	— 34,793
Sugar-cane	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,089,131	4,334,563	2,245,432
Fruit	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	461,117	528,931	67,814
All other	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	419,985	316,919	— 103,066
Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,019,806	7,308,115	1,288,309

The minus sign (—) indicates a decrease.

C e.

AREA UNDER CULTIVATION.

Petty Sessions District.		Under 5 Acres.		5 and under 20 Acres.		20 and under 50 Acres.		50 Acres and Over.		Totals.	
		Owners.	Acres.	Owners.	Acres.	Owners.	Acres.	Owners.	Acres.	Owners.	Acres.
Allora	...	1	2	6	76	19	705	278	42,609	304	43,392
Ayr	...	3	7	57	795	139	4,886	213	22,176	412	27,864
Beaudesert	...	54	149	179	1,997	135	3,926	17	1,156	385	7,228
Biggenden	...	33	73	95	943	36	994	3	163	167	2,173
Brisbane (A)	...	159	456	379	3,999	84	2,229	2	113	624	6,797
Brisbane (B)	...	70	155	101	998	29	857	1	101	201	2,111
Bundaberg	...	60	167	196	2,298	260	8,259	112	16,888	628	27,612
Cairns	...	31	51	120	1,404	142	4,731	161	17,356	454	23,542
Childers	...	10	27	46	534	86	3,013	117	13,547	259	17,121
Clifton	...	4	9	7	83	28	1,009	454	74,630	493	75,731
Crow's Nest	...	15	42	108	1,336	189	6,172	52	3,625	364	11,175
Dalby	...	54	109	113	1,271	171	5,257	269	31,892	607	38,529
Douglas	...	18	55	35	391	43	1,343	51	5,131	147	6,920
Dugandan	...	10	29	121	1,548	333	10,587	79	5,135	543	17,299
Esk	...	23	60	101	1,176	141	4,412	77	6,085	342	11,733
Gatton	...	11	31	112	1,373	282	9,297	157	11,845	562	22,546
Gaydah	...	37	101	150	1,648	77	2,329	26	1,805	290	5,883
Gin Gin	...	16	42	48	611	110	3,650	56	4,212	230	8,515
Goombungee	...	1	3	10	145	68	2,385	62	6,158	141	8,691
Gympie	...	188	440	241	2,559	69	1,991	8	630	506	5,620
Harrisville	...	11	29	97	1,284	184	6,098	67	4,538	359	11,949
Helidon	...	24	58	117	1,328	92	2,823	22	1,359	255	5,568
Herberton	...	133	174	81	854	168	5,308	161	12,379	543	18,715
Highfields	...	2	6	51	587	116	3,628	57	4,272	226	8,493
Ingham	...	16	31	35	440	77	2,800	176	18,676	304	21,947
Inglewood	...	13	39	27	295	42	1,298	44	5,021	126	6,653
Ipswich	...	26	71	79	915	61	1,899	14	1,019	180	3,904
Jondaryan	...	6	15	32	380	69	2,206	92	12,219	199	14,820
Killarney	...	8	21	19	228	23	732	190	30,139	240	31,120
Laidley	...	16	34	62	867	253	8,258	123	9,929	459	19,088
Logan	...	98	257	332	3,393	28	719	1	51	459	4,420
Lowood	...	5	19	37	491	180	6,067	52	3,450	274	10,027
Mackay	...	69	182	257	3,147	462	16,125	422	35,953	1,210	55,407
Maroochy	...	330	809	554	5,335	75	2,087	5	313	964	8,544
Maryborough	...	88	217	255	2,909	119	3,415	11	889	473	7,430
Mourilyan	...	4	6	56	719	131	5,125	139	13,628	330	19,478
Nanango	...	39	88	180	2,194	285	9,187	194	17,433	698	28,902
Oakey	...	2	6	23	292	102	3,572	308	41,901	435	45,771
Pittsworth	...	6	7	30	350	88	2,975	419	61,884	543	65,216
Proserpine	...	24	70	126	1,495	105	3,235	31	2,550	286	7,350
Rockhampton	...	174	406	211	2,175	133	4,011	58	4,616	576	11,208
Roma	...	18	39	46	592	71	2,369	177	21,693	312	24,693
Rosewood	...	3	10	106	1,493	201	6,397	20	1,238	330	9,138
Stanthorpe	...	67	161	196	2,357	97	2,803	14	839	374	6,160
Tiaro	...	54	130	158	1,759	79	2,377	10	832	301	5,098
Toowoomba	...	130	367	199	2,120	125	4,120	149	20,703	603	27,319
Townshend	...	11	28	50	699	117	3,780	25	1,524	203	6,031
Warwick	...	25	59	83	944	124	4,266	405	54,158	637	59,427
Wienholt	...	20	33	114	1,420	226	7,200	248	22,189	608	30,842
All other Districts	...	813	1,939	1,372	14,216	513	14,628	189	22,072	2,887	52,855
Total, 1917...	...	3,033	7,319	7,210	80,463	6,787	217,530	6,023	692,724	23,053	998,036
Total, 1916	...	2,622	6,719	6,845	78,029	7,023	224,662	6,587	767,922	23,077	1,077,332
Increase, 1917	...	411	600	365	2,434	...	...	...	...	...	...
Decrease, 1917	...	...	...	...	...	236	7,132	564	75,198	24	79,296

N.B.—Brisbane (B) refers to South Brisbane. See Summary C b.

D.

IRRIGATION.

Year.					Acres Irrigated.	Year.					Acres Irrigated.
1907	...	...	...	...	9,612	1913	...	...	...	...	11,904
1908	...	...	...	...	8,247	1914	...	...	...	...	11,809
1909	...	...	...	...	8,470	1915	...	...	...	...	11,842
1910	...	...	...	...	8,007	1916	...	...	...	...	10,886
1911	...	...	...	...	8,661	1917	...	...	...	...	4,467
1912	...	...	...	...	9,420						

D a.

IRRIGATION.

Petty Sessions District.	Number of Irrigators.	Acres Irrigated.	Original Source of Water Supply.	Means Employed for Procurement and Utilisation.	Principal Crops Treated.
Ayr	45	1,298	Wells, Lagoons, Burdekin River	Steam, oil, and suction gas pumps, and gravitation	Sugar-cane, fruit, and vegetables
Beaudesert	1	30	Lagoons	Gravitation	Maize, vegetables
Bowen	89	604	Wells, creek, and river ..	Steam, oil, and horse pumps, windmills, and drains	Fruit, vegetables, and sugar
Brisbane (A)	35	137	Creeks, wells, and springs...	Oil and horse pumps, windmill, gravitation	Market gardens, sorghum and maize
Bundaberg	2	32	Wells	Oil and steam engines	Vegetables
Cape River	6	39	Creeks and river	Oil, steam, and horse pumps, trenches	Fruit and vegetables
Charters Towers	21	57	Wells and river	Oil and horse pumps, windmills and drains	Fruit and vegetables, green fodder
Cloncurry	5	29	Wells and creek	Oil and steam pumps, trenches...	do. do.
Cunnamulla	4	431	Bores	Drains and gravitation	Wheaten hay, natural grasses
Esk	2	30	Rivers	Oil engines, sprays	Lucerne
Gin Gin	1	25	Creeks	Pumps and pipes	Lucerne
Harrisville	6	72	Creeks	Oil engines, canvas hose, and sprays	Barley, lucerne, and vegetables
Hughenden	2	60	Rivers and creeks	Oil and horse pumps, drains	Market gardens
Killarney	8	48	Rivers and creeks	Oil engines, pumps, gravitation	Vegetables
Mount Morgan	10	30	Wells	Windmills, pipes, gravitation	Fruit and vegetables
Redcliffe	9	43	Wells, creek, and river	Oil and steam pumps, windmills and pipes	Fruit, vegetables, maize, and lucerne
Rockhampton	65	454	Bores, river, and lagoon	Suction gas pumps and hose	Fruit, vegetables, oats, sorghum, and lucerne
Toowoomba	41	86	Bores, creeks, and wells	Oil pumps, windmills, pipes	Fruit, vegetables, and oats
Townsville	40	373	Wells, creeks, and rivers	Oil, steam, suction gas and horse pumps	Market gardens, Maize, green fodder
Warwick	2	33	Rivers	Steam pumps, drains	Lucerne
57 Other Districts	139	556	Various ... ..	...	Mostly market gardens
Total 1917	533	4,467			

E.

WHEAT (GRAIN).

RETURN FOR TEN YEARS.

Year.	Area.	Produce.	Average per Acre.	INCREASE OR — DECREASE ON THE PREVIOUS YEAR.		
				Area.	Produce.	Average per Acre.
	Acres.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Acres.	Bushels.	Bushels.
1908	80,898	1,202,799	14·87	— 1,563	509,272	6·46
1909	117,160	1,571,589	13·41	36,262	368,790	— 1·46
1910	106,718	1,022,373	9·58	— 10,442	— 549,206	— 3·83
1911	42,962	285,109	6·64	— 63,756	— 737,264	— 2·94
1912	124,963	1,975,505	15·81	82,001	1,690,396	9·17
1913	132,655	1,769,432	13·34	7,692	206,073	— 2·47
1914	127,015	1,585,087	12·48	— 5,640	— 184,345	— 0·86
1915	93,703	414,438	4·42	— 33,312	— 1,170,649	— 8·06
1916	227,778	2,463,141	10·81	134,075	2,048,703	6·39
1917	127,815	1,035,268	8·10	— 99,963	— 1,427,873	— 2·71
Average of Ten Years	118,167	1,332,474	10·95	...	...	...

E a.

AVERAGE YIELD PER ACRE EACH STATE.

States.	Average Produce per Acre—Bushels.										Mean for 10 Years ending 1917.
	1908.	1909.	1910.	1911.	1912.	1913.	1914.	1915.	1916.	1917.	
Queensland	14·9	13·4	9·6	6·6	15·81	13·34	12·48	4·42	10·81	8·10	10·95
New South Wales	11·1	14·3	13·1	10·6	14·56	11·86	4·65	15·94	9·61	11·71	11·74
Victoria	13·1	13·7	14·5	9·7	12·58	12·84	1·38	15·90	16·37	14·03	12·41
South Australia	11·5	13·3	11·6	9·1	10·34	7·47	1·41	12·46	16·46	12·18	10·58
Western Australia	8·6	12·5	10·1	7·1	11·56	12·15	1·91	10·52	10·28	7·44	9·22
Tasmania	24·1	21·4	21·5	18·8	24·99	18·97	16·10	20·43	12·53	11·57	19·04

E b.

WHEAT FOR GRAIN.

Divisions and Petty Sessions Districts.	1916.			1917.			INCREASE OR - DECREASE.		
	Area.	Produce.	Average per Acre.	Area.	Produce.	Average per Acre.	Area.	Produce.	Average per Acre.
MORETON.	Acres.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Acres.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Acres.	Bushels.	Bushels.
Cooyar	168	1,825	10·86	88	660	7·50	- 80	- 1,165	- 3·36
Crow's Nest	1,197	12,819	10·71	308	4,222	13·71	- 889	- 8,597	- 3·00
Dugandan	3	45	15·00	...	...	...	- 3	- 45	- 15·00
Esk	6	40	6·67	...	...	...	- 6	- 40	- 6·67
Gatton	17	440	25·88	13	144	11·08	- 4	- 296	- 14·80
Harrisville	18	280	15·56	...	...	...	- 18	- 280	- 15·56
Helidon	1	25	25·00	4	80	20·00	3	55	- 5·00
Laidley	2	18	9·00	...	...	...	- 2	- 18	- 9·00
Townshend	3	30	10·00	...	...	...	- 3	- 30	- 10·00
Woodford ... ..	...	...	...	3	15	5·00	3	15	5·00
Total, Moreton	1,415	15,522	10·97	416	5,121	12·31	- 999	- 10,401	- 1·34
WIDE BAY.									
Biggenden	25	241	9·64	...	...	...	- 25	- 241	- 9·64
Gayndah	85	573	6·74	9	15	1·67	- 76	- 558	- 5·10
Nanango	2,717	29,610	10·90	1,418	12,163	8·58	- 1,299	- 17,447	- 2·32
Wienholt	2,336	30,900	13·23	328	1,438	4·38	- 2,008	- 29,462	- 8·85
Total, Wide Bay	5,163	61,324	11·88	1,755	13,616	7·76	- 3,408	- 47,708	- 4·12
PORT CURTIS.									
Banana	3	18	6·00	...	...	...	- 3	- 18	- 6·00
Total, Port Curtis	3	18	6·00	...	...	...	- 3	- 18	- 6·00
SOUTH-WESTERN.									
St. George	16	105	6·56	235	394	1·68	219	289	- 4·88
Total South-western	16	105	6·56	235	394	1·68	219	289	- 4·88
CENTRAL.									
Emerald	132	1,668	12·64	56	312	5·57	- 76	- 1,356	- 7·07
Springsure ... ..	...	...	...	89	948	10·65	89	948	- 10·65
Total Central	132	1,668	12·64	145	1,260	8·69	13	- 408	- 3·95
MARANOA.									
Mitchell	1,804	16,432	9·11	1,877	10,040	5·35	73	- 6,392	- 3·76
Roma	15,607	181,424	11·62	11,918	69,518	5·83	- 3,689	- 111,906	- 5·79
Yeulba	192	2,067	10·77	146	624	4·27	- 46	- 1,443	- 6·50
Total, Maranoa	17,603	199,923	11·36	13,941	80,182	5·75	- 3,662	- 119,741	- 5·61
Downs.									
Allora	22,670	261,348	11·53	13,642	103,339	7·58	- 9,028	- 158,009	- 3·95
Clifton	38,105	450,039	11·81	17,093	141,357	8·27	- 21,012	- 308,682	- 3·54
Condamine	2,052	21,868	10·66	2,095	15,074	7·20	43	- 6,794	- 3·46
Dalby	21,484	199,494	9·29	11,074	74,471	6·72	- 10,410	- 125,023	- 2·57
Goombungee	3,646	42,138	11·56	1,349	21,234	15·74	- 2,297	- 20,904	- 4·18
Goondiwindi	5,648	52,059	9·22	4,982	29,783	5·98	- 666	- 22,276	- 3·24
Highfields	1,914	28,034	14·65	550	8,274	15·04	- 1,364	- 19,760	- 0·39
Inglewood	3,997	48,257	12·07	3,294	39,445	11·97	- 703	- 8,812	- 0·10
Jondaryan	5,898	40,318	6·84	2,811	19,654	6·92	- 3,087	- 20,664	- 0·08
Killarney	12,169	142,752	11·73	9,207	103,968	11·29	- 2,962	- 38,784	- 0·44
Oakey	18,346	133,028	7·25	6,602	57,789	8·75	- 11,744	- 75,239	- 0·50
Pittsworth	31,456	307,706	9·78	19,263	112,065	5·82	- 12,193	- 195,641	- 3·96
Stanthorpe ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Texas	565	4,248	7·52	102	1,032	10·12	- 463	- 3,216	- 2·60
Toowoomba	6,212	74,578	12·01	2,942	24,787	8·43	- 3,270	- 49,791	- 3·58
Warwick	29,284	378,714	12·93	16,287	182,423	11·20	- 12,997	- 196,291	- 1·73
Total, Downs	203,446	2,184,581	10·74	111,323	934,695	8·40	- 92,123	- 1,249,886	- 2·34
Total State	227,778	2,463,141	10·81	127,815	1,035,268	8·10	- 99,963	- 1,427,873	- 2·71

E c.

TABLE SHOWING QUANTITY OF WHEAT TREATED IN QUEENSLAND, 1917.

District.	Number of Establishments.	Number of Hands Employed.	Pairs of Stones.	Sets of Rollers.	Wheat Treated.	FLOUR MADE.		MEAL MADE.		BRAN AND POLLARD.	
						ons.	Value.	Tons.	Value.	Bushels.	Value.
Metropolitan } 1917 {	2	102	Pairs. 5	Sets. 25	Bushels.		£		£		£
Elsewhere }	10	137	9	68	2,402,923	46,244	551,583	220	2,637	2,195,754	119,907
Total, 1916 ...	11	207	5	99	2,072,133	42,559	512,554	229	2,900	1,799,600	104,813

F.
BARLEY.

SHOWING HOW CROP WAS DEALT WITH.

Barley.										1916.	1917.
										Acres.	Acres.
Reaped for grain	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12,674	7,702
Mown for hay	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,056	273
Used for green food	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8,746	5,256
Totals	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22,476	13,231

F a.
SHOWING RESULT OF GRAIN CROP.

Year.								Area for Grain.	Produce.	Average Produce per Acre.
								Acres.	Bushels.	Bushels.
1916	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12,674	250,167	19·74
1917	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,702	143,574	18·64
Decrease, 1917	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,972	106,593	1·10

F b.
RESULT OF GRAIN CROP, DISTINGUISHING BETWEEN MALTING AND OTHER VARIETIES.

Petty Sessions District.	Malting Grain.			Other Varieties Grain.		
	Acres.	Bushels.	Average per Acre, Bushels.	Acres.	Bushels.	Average per Acre, Bushels.
Allora	177	2,145	12·12	778	11,160	14·34
Clifton	1,474	31,413	21·31	119	2,114	17·76
Crow's Nest	66	2,421	36·68	19	339	17·84
Dalby	121	1,846	15·26	141	2,909	20·63
Goombungee	51	870	17·06	79	1,316	16·66
Highfields	58	2,223	38·33	18	411	22·83
Jondaryan	2	24	12·00	...	...	...
Killarney	24	249	10·38	259	6,673	25·76
Oakey	360	6,161	17·11	229	4,407	19·24
Pittsworth	1,702	28,393	16·68	5	48	9·60
Toowoomba	851	17,561	20·64	84	1,718	20·45
Warwick	818	14,292	17·47	133	3,592	27·01
All other Districts	109	920	8·44	25	369	14·76
Total, 1917	5,813	108,518	18·67	1,889	35,056	18·56

F c.
MALT.
QUANTITY MADE AND HOW DEALT WITH.

Year.					Made from Imported Barley.	Made from Queens-land Barley.	Total Malt Made.	Beer (including Waste).	Malt used in Breweries as returned to Excise.
					Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Gallons.	Bushels.
1907	...	...	...	...	35,871	45,824	81,695	5,102,731	171,753
1908	...	...	...	...	...	104,426	104,426	5,046,446	168,099
1909	...	...	...	...	...	110,020	110,020	5,362,791	179,175
1910	...	...	...	...	...	122,811	122,811	5,736,876	190,020
1911	...	...	...	...	...	155,087	155,087	6,375,228	208,766
1912	...	...	...	...	197,160	4,735	201,895	6,809,405	224,852
1913	...	...	...	...	65,830	85,769	151,599	6,248,304	203,564
1914	...	...	...	...	46,545	73,398	119,943	6,244,462	194,031
1915	...	...	...	...	...	34,204	34,204	5,821,397	177,323
1916	...	...	...	...	47,730	...	47,730	5,586,940	161,764
1917	...	...	...	...	...	70,117	70,117	6,167,638	181,067

G.
MAIZE.
SUMMARY FOR FIVE YEARS.

Year.								Grain.		Average per Acre.
								Acres.	Bushels.	Bushels.
1913	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	156,775	3,915,376	24·97
1914	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	176,372	4,260,673	24·16
1915	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	146,474	2,003,463	13·68
1916	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	181,405	3,018,934	16·64
1917	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	165,124	4,188,586	25·37

G a.
MAIZE (GRAIN).
PRODUCTION IN EACH DIVISION OF THE STATE.

Division or Group.								Acres.	Produce.	Average.	Proportion of Divisional Area to Total Area of Maize for Grain.
									Bushels.	Bushels.	
Moreton	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	55,464	1,363,597	24·59	33·59
Wide Bay	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	39,031	1,074,355	27·53	23·64
Port Curtis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,130	155,765	25·41	3·71
Edgecumbe	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	452	9,506	21·03	0·27
Rockingham	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15,882	591,906	37·27	9·62
York Peninsula	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	140	5,123	36·59	0·09
Carpentaria	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	99	1,100	11·11	0·06
Central Western	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
South Western	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	40	364	9·10	0·02
Central	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	101	2,841	28·13	0·06
Maranoa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,122	13,940	12·42	0·68
Downs	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	46,663	970,089	20·79	28·26
Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	165,124	4,188,586	25·37	100·00

G b.
MAIZE.
AREA AND PRODUCE IN EACH PRINCIPAL DISTRICT FOR TWO YEARS.

Petty Sessions District.				Area for Grain.			Produce.			Average per Acre.		
				1916.	1917.	Increase or Decrease	1916.	1917.	Increase or Decrease	1916.	1917.	Increase or Decrease
				Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.
Allora	...	...	...	5,339	5,683	344	103,196	132,020	28,824	19·33	23·23	3·90
Beaudesert	...	...	...	3,151	2,564	— 587	62,803	65,292	2,489	19·93	25·46	5·53
Biggenden	...	...	...	1,917	756	— 1,161	24,437	19,477	— 4,960	12·75	25·76	13·01
Bundaberg	...	...	...	2,351	1,507	— 844	48,436	44,783	— 3,653	20·60	29·72	9·12
Clifton	...	...	...	5,762	7,069	1,307	52,084	133,195	81,111	9·04	18·84	9·80
Crow's Nest	...	...	...	3,917	5,485	1,568	31,675	140,529	108,854	8·09	25·62	17·53
Dalby	...	...	...	3,784	1,339	— 2,445	40,058	19,837	— 20,221	10·59	14·81	4·22
Dugandan	...	...	...	8,688	8,848	160	173,254	230,683	57,429	19·94	26·07	6·13
Esk	...	...	...	1,229	2,641	1,412	20,222	75,061	54,839	16·45	28·42	11·97
Gatton	...	...	...	6,605	6,615	10	59,079	148,838	89,759	8·94	22·50	13·56
Gayndah	...	...	...	5,866	2,966	— 2,900	27,746	59,114	31,368	4·73	19·93	15·20
Gin Gin	...	...	...	1,230	903	— 327	20,997	22,292	1,295	17·07	24·69	7·62
Gladstone	...	...	...	3,232	1,646	— 1,586	27,919	45,901	17,982	8·64	27·89	19·25
Goombungee	...	...	...	1,199	1,785	586	8,208	44,399	36,191	6·85	24·87	18·02
Gympie	...	...	...	1,939	1,861	— 128	38,522	64,930	26,408	19·37	34·89	15·52
Harrisville	...	...	...	4,255	3,958	— 297	70,069	83,630	13,561	16·47	21·13	4·66
Helidon	...	...	...	1,106	1,416	310	14,719	30,978	16,259	13·31	21·88	8·57
Herberton	...	...	...	18,636	15,705	— 2,931	937,085	586,574	— 350,511	50·28	37·35	— 12·93
Highfields	...	...	...	1,920	2,210	290	23,662	44,670	21,008	12·32	20·21	7·89
Jondaryan	...	...	...	2,622	1,985	— 637	31,420	27,896	— 3,524	11·98	14·05	2·07
Killarney	...	...	...	9,719	7,877	— 1,842	208,268	187,658	— 20,610	21·43	23·82	2·39
Laidley	...	...	...	7,591	7,771	180	58,017	203,177	145,160	7·64	26·15	18·51
Logan	...	...	...	1,238	950	— 288	29,199	22,307	— 6,892	23·59	23·48	— 0·11
Lowood	...	...	...	2,457	4,947	2,490	31,697	117,255	85,558	12·90	23·70	10·80
Nanango	...	...	...	20,492	15,419	— 5,073	189,174	429,316	240,142	9·23	27·84	18·61
Nerang	...	...	...	816	606	— 210	20,473	16,096	— 4,377	25·09	26·56	1·47
Oakey	...	...	...	3,356	3,493	137	41,246	58,727	17,481	12·29	16·81	4·52
Pittsworth	...	...	...	1,598	3,336	1,738	18,529	73,054	54,525	11·60	21·90	10·30
Rockhampton	...	...	...	1,667	4,440	2,773	9,356	103,501	99,145	5·61	24·44	18·83
Rosewood	...	...	...	2,687	2,570	— 117	44,352	51,347	6,995	16·51	19·98	3·47
Toowoomba	...	...	...	2,724	1,976	— 748	40,888	28,759	— 12,129	15·01	14·55	— 0·46
Townshend	...	...	...	1,415	2,661	1,246	17,108	57,176	40,068	12·09	21·49	9·40
Warwick	...	...	...	12,103	8,904	— 3,199	184,577	206,108	21,531	15·25	23·15	7·90
Wienholt	...	...	...	16,066	13,229	— 2,837	118,975	366,625	247,650	7·41	27·71	20·30
All other Districts	...	...	...	12,678	10,003	— 2,675	191,484	242,381	50,897	15·10	24·23	9·13
Total State	...	...	...	181,405	165,124	— 16,281	3,018,934	4,188,586	1,169,652	16·64	25·37	8·73

H.
OATS.

TABLE SHOWING HOW CROP WAS DEALT WITH FOR FIVE YEARS.

Oats.	1913.	1914.	1915.	1916	1917.
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.
Reaped for grain	4,093	2,728	339	6,564	3,002
Mown for hay	16,020	12,573	6,377	30,041	10,901
Cut for green fodder	31,182	30,081	20,398	18,080	16,439
Totals	51,295	45,382	27,114	54,685	30,342

H a.
RESULT OF THE GRAIN CROP.

Year.	Area for Grain.	Produce.	Average per Acre.
	Acres.	Bushels.	Bushels.
1916	6,564	108,664	16·55
1917	3,002	44,688	14·89
Decrease, 1917	3,562	63,976	1·66

J.
RYE.
AREA AND PRODUCE OF THE CROP.

Year.	Area.	Produce.	Average per Acre.
	Acres.	Bushels.	Bushels.
1913	91	951	10·44
1914	81	727	8·98
1915	26	529	20·35
1916	131	1,668	12·73
1917	43	595	13·84

J a.
POTATOES.
AREA AND YIELD FOR FIVE YEARS.
POTATOES (ENGLISH).

	Acres.	Tons.	Value.
1913 ..	10,085	16,548	£198,576
1914 ..	8,385	16,014	£138,521
1915 ..	5,796	7,439	£89,268
1916 ..	8,908	19,457	£218,891
1917 ..	16,738	22,139	£196,484

K.
COTTON.

RESULT FOR THE PAST TWO YEARS.

Division or Group.	1916.	1917.
	Acres.	Acres.
Moreton	3	11
Wide Bay	1	12
Port Curtis	44	64
Edgecumbe ... ..	...	2
Rockingham	8	2
York Peninsula	2	2
Carpentaria ... ..	...	...
Central Western ... ..	...	...
South Western ... ..	...	...
Central ... ..	...	5
Maranoa	10	12
Downs	7	23
Total State	75	133

L.
SUGAR.

NUMBER OF PLANTATIONS, ETC.

							Number of Plantations.	Area under Cane.	Average to each Planter.
								Acres.	Acres.
No. 1 District	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,105	58,363	53
No. 2 District	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,850	69,909	38
No. 3 District	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,209	44,022	36
No. 4 District	...	...	...	...	...	...	237	3,468	15
Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,401	175,762	40

L a.

SUMMARY FOR FIVE YEARS.

Year.							Acres Cultivated.	Acres Crushed.	PRODUCE.	
									Tons Cane.	Tons Sugar, at 94 per cent. Net Titre.
1913	...	...	...	...	...	...	147,743	102,803	2,085,588	242,837
1914	...	...	...	...	...	...	161,195	108,013	1,922,633	225,847
1915	...	...	...	...	...	...	153,027	94,459	1,152,516	140,496
1916	...	...	...	...	...	...	167,221	75,914	1,579,514	176,973
1917	...	...	...	...	...	...	175,762	108,707	2,704,211	307,714

L b.

PERCENTAGES OF YIELDS FOR FIVE YEARS.

Year.							TO EACH ACRE CRUSHED.		Tons of Cane to One Ton of Sugar.
							Tons of Cane.	Tons of Sugar.	
1913	...	...	...	...	...	...	20.29	2.36	8.59
1914	...	...	...	...	...	...	17.80	2.09	8.51
1915	...	...	...	...	...	...	12.20	1.49	8.20
1916	...	...	...	...	...	...	20.81	2.33	8.93
1917	...	...	...	...	...	...	24.88	2.83	8.79

L c.

DETAILS OF CROPS, EACH DIVISION, 1917.

Division and District.	Area for Plants.	Area Stand-over or Unproductive.	Area Crushed for Sugar.	Total Area for Sugar.	Weight of Cane.	Sugar, 94 N.T.	Molasses Returned.
<i>Rockingham and York Peninsula—</i>	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Tons.	Tons.	Gallons.
Cairns and Douglas	475	5,910	17,720	24,105	427,518	47,829	2,119,738
Ingham and Mourilyan	963	9,606	23,689	34,258	525,287	61,657	2,430,900
Total	1,438	15,516	41,409	58,363	953,805	112,486	4,550,638
<i>Edgecumbe—</i>							
Ayr and Townsville	320	15,379	6,510	22,209	245,888	29,466	571,000
Proserpine and Bowen	66	1,446	4,135	5,647	79,438	8,907	350,850
Mackay	550	15,544	25,959	42,053	564,200	61,463	2,204,790
Total	936	32,369	36,604	69,909	889,526	99,836	3,126,640
<i>Wile Bay—</i>							
Bundaberg, Gin Gin, &c.	214	7,942	16,941	25,097	446,383	52,484	1,743,707
Biggenden, Childers, Maryborough, Tiaro, &c.	64	7,251	10,943	18,258	355,714	36,799	1,835,260
Gympie	...	15	96	111	2,227	†	...
Total	278	15,208	27,980	43,466	804,324	89,283	3,578,967
<i>Port Curtis—</i>							
Gladstone*	1	139	416	556	9,685	766	27,000
<i>Moreton—</i>							
Logan, &c.	20	315	809	1,144	10,111	782	40,141
Townshend, Rosewood, &c.	4	106	294	404	4,879	350	13,400
Maroochy, &c.	12	630	904	1,546	26,324	3,555	170,000
Nerang and Southport	...	83	291	374	5,557	656	7,850
Total	36	1,134	2,298	3,468	46,871	5,343	231,391
TOTAL OF STATE	2,639	64,366	108,707	175,762	2,704,211	307,714	11,514,636

* Part crushed in Bundaberg.

† Mostly crushed in Maroochy.

L d.

SUGAR AVERAGES, 1917.

Divisions or Groups and Districts.							Tons of Cane per Acre Crushed.	Tons of Sugar per Acre Crushed.	Tons of Cane per Ton of Sugar.
<i>Rockingham and York Peninsula—</i>									
Cairns and Douglas							24·13	2·70	8·94
Ingham and Mourilyan							22·22	2·73	8·14
Total							23·03	2·72	8·48
<i>Edgecumbe—</i>									
Ayr and Townsville							37·77	4·53	8·34
Bowen and Proserpine							19·21	2·15	8·92
Mackay							21·73	2·37	9·18
Total							24·30	2·73	8·91
<i>Wide Bay—</i>									
Bundaberg, Gin Gin, &c.							26·35	3·07	8·56
Biggenden, Childers, Maryborough, Tiaro, &c.							32·51	3·36	9·67
Gympie							23·19	*	*
Total							28·75	3·17	9·01
<i>Port Curtis—</i>									
Gladstone							23·28	†	†
<i>Moreton—</i>									
Logan							12·50	‡ 1·31	‡ 10·90
Townshend, Rosewood, &c.							16·60	1·19	13·94
Maroochy, &c.							29·12	3·56	8·03
Nerang and Southport							19·10	...	...
Total							20·40	2·33	9·19
TOTAL STATE							24·88	2·83	8·79

* Mostly crushed in Maroochy. † Part crushed in Bundaberg. ‡ Including Nerang and Southport.

L e.

IN EACH DIVISION OF THE STATE—TWO YEARS.

Division.	AREA UNDER CULTIVATION.			PRODUCTION.					
	1916.	1917.	Increase or —Decrease	1916.		1917.		Increase or —Decrease in 1916.	
				Area Crushed.	Sugar.	Area Crushed.	Sugar.	Area Crushed.	Sugar.
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Tons.	Acres.	Tons.	Acres.	Tons.
Rockingham and York Peninsula	55,572	58,363	2,791	35,934	98,896	41,409	112,486	5,475	14,090
Edgecumbe	63,107	69,909	6,802	26,737	59,146	36,604	99,836	9,867	40,690
Port Curtis*	568	556	—12	242	311	416	766	174	455
Wide Bay†	44,008	43,466	—542	10,253	13,538	27,980	89,283	17,727	75,745
Moreton	3,966	3,468	—498	2,748	5,582	2,298	5,343	—450	—239
Total	167,221	175,762	8,541	75,914	176,973	108,707	307,714	32,793	130,741

* Part crushed in Wide Bay. † Most of the cane grown in Gympie was crushed in the Moreton Division.

L f.

PERCENTAGES IN EACH DIVISION OF THE STATE—TWO YEARS.

Division.	TO EACH ACRE CRUSHED.				TONS CANE TO EACH TON SUGAR.	
	Tons of Cane.		Tons of Sugar.		1916.	1917.
	1916.	1917.	1916.	1917.		
Rockingham and York Peninsula	23·78	23·03	2·74	2·72	8·68	8·48
Edgecumbe	19·47	24·30	2·21	2·73	8·80	8·91
Port Curtis	17·02	23·28	*	*	*	*
Wide Bay	14·13	28·75	1·32	3·17	10·70	9·01
Moreton	20·20	20·40	2·03	2·33	9·94	9·19
Total	20·81	24·88	2·33	2·83	8·93	8·79

* Included in Wide Bay.

L g.

PRODUCTION IN AUSTRALIA, 1917.

				Area under Cultivation.	Area Cut or Dug for Manufacture.	Yield of Cane, &c.	Sugar Obtained.
				Acres.	Acres.	Tons.	Tons.
Queensland				175,762	108,707	2,704,211	307,714
New South Wales				10,969	5,223	143,558	16,546
Victoria (beet)				1,200	1,200	14,487	1,650

MILLS IN QUEENSLAND.

Manufactories.					Works.	Hands Employed.	VALUE.	
							Machinery.	Land and Premises.
					No.	No.	£	£
Refineries	} In operation, 1917	{	...	...	2	416	} 3,266,314	550,984
Juice Mills			...	...	1	102		
Sugar Mills			...	...	46	5,398		
Total	...		...	...	49	5,916		

Li.
SUGAR MILLS.

(1) NUMBER OF SUGAR MILL COMPANIES TO WHICH ADVANCES HAVE BEEN MADE UNDER—														
“The Sugar Works Guarantee Acts”										..	..	..	13
“The Sugar Works Act of 1911” (Babinda and South Johnstone)										..	..	..	2
From Consolidated Revenue (North Eton and Racecourse)										..	..	..	2
From General Loan Fund										..	..	..	7
(2) NUMBER OF TRAMWAY COMPANIES TO WHICH ADVANCES HAVE BEEN MADE UNDER—														
“The Sugar Works Guarantee Acts” (Double Peak)										..	..	..	1
Under other conditions										..	..	..	Nil
(3) TOTAL AMOUNT OF ADVANCES MADE TO 31ST DECEMBER, 1917, UNDER—														
“The Sugar Works Guarantee Acts”—										£	s.	d.	£ s. d.	
Marian Mill	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	39,000	0	0			
Mount Bauple	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	32,480	16	1			
Pleystowe	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	35,472	1	3			
Nerang River	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	19,998	18	10			
Gin Gin	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	50,000	0	0			
Plane Creek	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	65,000	0	0			
Double Peak	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	18,200	0	0			
Proserpine	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	54,000	0	0			
Moreton	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	32,864	15	0			
Mulgrave	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	46,000	0	0			
Isis	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	38,636	0	0			
Mossman	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	66,300	0	0			
Johnstone	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	847	17	8			
													498,800 8 10	
“The Sugar Works Act of 1911”—														
Babinda Mill	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	314,318	4	0			
South Johnstone Mill	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	446,064	6	0			
													760,382 10 0	
From Consolidated Revenue—														
North Eton Mill	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	26,000	0	0			
Racecourse Mill	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	21,000	0	0			
													47,000 0 0	
From General Loan Fund—														
North Eton Mill	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9,243	11	2			
Mount Bauple Mill	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8,500	0	0			
Gin Gin Mill	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2,000	0	0			
Double Peak Mill	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4,453	2	11			
Proserpine Mill	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	17,765	9	4			
Moreton Mill	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	14,350	0	0			
Mossman Mill	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6,571	14	0			
													62,883 17 5	
(4) INDEBTEDNESS AT 31ST DECEMBER, 1917, UNDER—														
“The Sugar Works Guarantee Acts”—														
Mount Bauple Mill	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	29,907	17	2			
Pleystowe Mill	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8,087	2	4			
Nerang Mill	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	30,577	15	10			
Gin Gin Mill	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	21,686	4	4			
Plane Creek Mill	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	15,454	10	8			
Double Peak Mill	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8,414	3	6			
Proserpine Mill	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	25,600	18	10			
Mulgrave Mill	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	17,461	7	5			
Isis Mill	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7,619	14	3			
Mossman Mill	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	30,558	7	6			
Johnstone Mill	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	740	7	8			
													196,108 9 6	
“The Sugar Works Act of 1911”—														
Babinda Mill	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	314,318	4	0			
South Johnstone Mill	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	446,064	6	0			
													760,382 10 0	
From Consolidated Revenue—														
North Eton Mill	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..			6,378 11 4
From General Loan Fund—														
North Eton Mill	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2,644	3	3			
Mount Bauple Mill	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8,670	0	0			
Double Peak Mill	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2,058	8	9			
Proserpine Mill	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4,059	7	5			
Mossman Mill	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5,291	17	0			
													22,723 16 5	

M.
ARROWROOT.

DISTRICTS WHERE CULTIVATED AND PRODUCTION—TWO YEARS.

Petty Sessions District.	1916.		1917.		Increase or Decrease —	
	Area.	Produce.	Area.	Produce.	Area.	Produce.
	Acres.	Tons.	Acres.	Tons.	Acres.	Tons.
Brisbane (A)	2	2	2	7	..	5
Brisbane (B) ... ..	...	...	1	2	1	2
Dugandan ... ..	...	...	1	1	1	1
Gladstone ... ..	...	...	2	1	2	1
Gympie ... ..	...	...	3	34	3	34
Ipswich	2	5	3	8	1	3
Kilcoy	2	8	2	13	...	5
Logan	62	640	95	993	33	353
Lowood	3	14	6	17	3	3
Maroochy	2	13	2	39	...	26
Maryborough	2	5	...	...	— 2	— 5
Nerang	223	2,649	208	2,475	— 15	— 174
Pittsworth ... ..	...	...	14	246	14	246
Rosewood	4	20	4	30	...	10
Tiaro ... ..	...	...	2	1	2	1
Townshend	22	150	22	146	...	— 4
Wienholt .. ..	...	...	1	6	1	6
Total State	324	3,506	368	4,019	44	513

M a.
DETAILS OF MANUFACTURE.

Petty Sessions District.								Hands Employed.	Tuber.	Arrowroot.
								No.	Tons.	Lb.
Logan ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	63	3,216	1,376,253
Nerang ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

N.
TOBACCO.

DISTRICTS WHERE CULTIVATD AND YIELD—TWO YEARS.

Division and Petty Sessions District.	1916.		1917.		Increase or Decrease —	
	Area.	Produce Dried Leaf.	Area.	Produce Dried Leaf.		
	Acres.	Lb.	Acres.	Lb.	Acres.	Lb.
Moreton — Lowood	4	2,626	1	144	— 3	— 2,482
Edgumbe— Bowen	27	29,321	3½	29,529	7	208
Proserpine	14	14,523	10	5,959	— 4	— 8,564
Townsville	10	8,000	10	10,408	...	2,408
Rockingham— Cairns ... ..	...	...	2	220	2	220
Downs— Allora ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dalby	1	396	...	...	— 1	— 396
Inglewood	119	82,306	75	26,420	— 44	— 55,886
Texas	142	94,795	157	34,896	15	— 59,899
Total State	317	231,967	289	107,576	28	— 124,391

O.

COFFEE.

DISTRICTS WHERE CULTIVATED AND YIELD—TWO YEARS.

DIVISION AND PETTY SESSIONS DISTRICT.	Not Bearing.		Bearing.				Average per Acre (Bearing).		1917. Increase or Decrease—Bearing Area.	1917. Increase or Decrease—in Produce.
	1916.	1917.	1916.		1917.		1916.	1917.		
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Lb. (Parchment.)	Acres.	Lb. (Parchment.)	Lb.	Lb.	Acres.	Lb.
<i>Moreton—</i>										
Maroochy ... ..	...	...	35	8,388	21	6,446	240	307	— 14	— 1,942
<i>Wide Bay—</i>										
Maryborough	3	...	...	...	4	1,200	...	300	4	1,200
<i>Edgumbe—</i>										
Mackay ... ..	...	...	12	2,600	8	2,000	217	250	— 4	— 600
Proserpine	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total Edgumbe ...	1	1	12	2,600	8	2,000	217	250	— 4	— 600
<i>Rockingham—</i>										
Cairns ... ..	...	...	10	4,072	4	1,370	407	343	— 6	— 2,702
Herberton	8	...	2	470	12	5,126	235	427	10	4,656
Mourilyan ... ..	...	...	20	*	...	...	...	...	— 20	...
Total Rockingham ...	8	...	32	4,542	16	6,496	378	406	— 16	1,954
<i>York Peninsula—</i>										
Cook	12	...	...	...	1	100	...	100	1	100
Totals	24	1	79	15,530	50	16,242	263	325	— 29	712

* Not harvested.

Q.

VINES.

SUMMARY OF AREA AND YIELD—TWO YEARS.

Year.	VINEYARD.			Grapes Gathered.	Average per Acre (Bearing).
	Acres Bearing.	Acres not Bearing.	Total.		
1916	1,123	133	1,256	Lb. 1,876,184	Lb. 1,671
1917	1,140	134	1,274	1,838,511	1,613

Q a.

DETAILS OF PRINCIPAL DISTRICTS—TWO YEARS.

Petty Sessions District.	AREA UNDER VINES.								
	1916.			1917.			Increase or Decrease—.	1916.	1917.
	Bearing.	Not Bearing.	Total Area.	Bearing.	Not Bearing.	Total Area.		Grapes Gathered.	Grapes Gathered.
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.		Lb.	Lb.
Brisbane (A)	300	21	321	318	12	330	9	457,255	510,360
Brisbane (B)	13	...	13	11	...	11	— 2	19,121	17,634
Bundaberg	7	3	10	11	4	15	5	7,472	13,924
Clifton	13	...	13	12	...	12	— 1	8,067	17,493
Gatton	5	1	6	10	3	13	7	17,050	12,278
Gympie	16	...	16	10	...	10	— 6	23,757	17,300
Laidley	7	2	9	12	1	13	4	15,372	33,396
Logan	13	...	13	13	1	14	1	30,990	30,540
Lowood	45	6	51	42	2	44	— 7	179,873	111,890
Maryborough	21	5	26	24	4	28	2	33,798	48,992
Redcliffe	5	...	5	6	1	7	2	8,640	15,394
Rockhampton	22	1	23	24	2	26	3	36,768	35,757
Roma	379	13	392	343	29	372	— 20	399,388	302,398
Stanthorpe	56	44	100	75	48	123	23	100,492	107,695
Toowoomba	41	1	42	38	1	39	— 3	69,385	48,930
Townshend	11	2	13	14	...	14	1	8,832	21,507
Warwick	29	9	38	11	8	19	— 19	106,013	21,666
Wynnum	17	5	22	24	4	28	6	57,880	94,200
All other Districts ...	123	20	143	142	14	156	13	296,031	377,157
Totals	1,123	133	1,256	1,140	134	1,274	18	1,876,184	1,838,511

N.B.—Brisbane (B) refers to South Brisbane.

Q b.

VINES.

AVERAGE, PRINCIPAL DISTRICTS—FIVE YEARS.

Petty Sessions District.	1913. Average per Acre.	1914. Average per Acre.	1915. Average per Acre.	1916. Average per Acre.	1917. Average per Acre.
	Lb.	Lb.	Lb.	Lb.	Lb.
Brisbane	1,996	2,171	1,774	1,524	1,605
Roma	3,256	3,450	3,612	1,054	882
Brisbane (B), including Wynnum	2,852	2,698	2,799	2,567	3,195
Tcowoomba	2,755	2,774	1,262	1,692	1,288
State	2,824	2,951	2,556	1,671	1,613

Q c.

WINE.

MAKERS, WINE MADE, AND WINE SPIRIT DISTILLED—FIVE YEARS.

Year.	Number of Makers.	Quantity of Wine Made.	Quantity of Wine Spirit Distilled.
		Gallons.	Gallons.
1913	204	58,897	1,275
1914	167	51,164	4,254
1915	136	59,008	2,839
1916	96	23,171	2,489
1917	103	39,125	1,326

Q d.

PRINCIPAL DISTRICTS WHERE MADE.

Petty Sessions District.	Number of Makers.	Quantity of Wine Made.	Quantity of Wine Spirit Distilled.
		Gallons.	Gallons.
Brisbane (A and B), including Wynnum	12	3,535	...
Highfields	10	697	...
Logan	10	1,097	...
Lowood	1	2,000	...
Roma	6	19,120	...
Toowoomba	17	2,023	...
Warwick	1	5,003	...
All other Districts	46	5,650	...
Totals	103	39,125	1,326

N.B.—Brisbane (B) refers to South Brisbane.

R.
BANANAS.

DETAILS IN PRINCIPAL DISTRICTS—Two Years.

Petty Sessions District.	Area.		Produce.		Increase or Decrease —	
	1916.	1917.	1916.	1917.	Area.	Produce.
	Acres.	Acres.	Bunches.	Bunches.	Acres.	Bunches.
Brisbane (A)...	816	949	108,856	176,716	133	67,860
Cairns ...	722	669	140,490	100,741	— 53	— 39,749
Cardwell ...	410	66	31,626	7,550	— 344	— 24,076
Cleveland ...	463	283	66,768	49,947	— 180	— 16,821
Gympie ...	591	868	39,989	118,906	277	78,917
Logan ...	409	439	77,621	64,642	30	— 12,979
Maroochy ...	2,929	2,608	265,685	353,023	— 321	87,338
Maryborough ...	513	475	64,160	94,663	— 38	30,503
Mourilyan ...	164	72	27,343	4,250	— 92	— 23,093
Nerang ...	333	450	9,164	22,669	117	13,505
Redcliffe ...	511	746	74,611	167,575	235	92,964
Rockhampton ...	73	81	8,832	11,007	8	2,175
Somerset ...	97	13	7,755	1,333	— 84	— 6,422
Townsville ...	191	269	32,376	48,230	78	15,854
All other Districts ...	1,078	1,153	95,936	135,585	75	39,649
Totals ...	9,300	9,141	1,051,212	1,356,837	159	305,625

R a.

YIELD PER ACRE IN PRINCIPAL DISTRICTS.

Average per Acre— Bunches.				Average per Acre— Bunches.			
Brisbane ...	...	186	...	Logan ...	...	147	...
Cairns ...	...	151	...	Maroochy ...	...	135	...
Cardwell ...	...	114	...	Maryborough ...	...	199	...
Cleveland ...	...	176	...	Mourilyan ...	...	59	...
Gympie ...	...	137	...	Redcliffe ...	...	225	...

S.
PINEAPPLES.

DETAILS IN PRINCIPAL DISTRICTS—Two Years.

Petty Sessions District.	1916.		1917.		Increase or Decrease —	
	Area.	Produce.	Area.	Produce.	Area.	Produce.
	Acres.	Dozen.	Acres.	Dozen.	Acres.	Dozen.
Brisbane (A) ...	801	291,881	685	199,449	— 116	— 92,432
Brisbane (B) ...	182	14,785	184	33,635	2	18,850
Bundaberg ...	41	8,552	47	8,364	6	— 188
Caboolture ...	104	16,950	158	25,336	54	8,386
Cairns ...	164	21,997	161	46,547	— 3	24,550
Cleveland ...	724	144,002	750	169,341	26	25,339
Logan ...	166	55,616	206	63,001	40	7,385
Maroochy ...	1,243	216,841	1,181	259,153	— 62	42,312
Maryborough ...	229	31,910	191	42,338	— 38	10,428
Mourilyan ...	19	2,310	43	6,010	24	3,700
Redcliffe ...	47	10,273	50	9,049	3	— 1,224
Rockhampton ...	94	15,311	114	22,442	20	7,131
Wynnum ...	32	8,229	39	13,408	7	5,179
Tiaro ...	111	9,061	101	13,768	— 10	4,707
All other Districts ...	179	19,503	256	32,441	77	12,938
Totals ...	4,136	867,221	4,166	944,282	30	77,061

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T.

ORANGES.

DETAILS IN PRINCIPAL DISTRICTS—TWO YEARS.

Petty Sessions District.	Area.		Bearing, 1917.	Not yet Bearing, 1917.	Produce.		Increase or Decrease —	
	1916.	1917.	Area.	Area.	1916.	1917.	Area.	Produce.
	Acres.	Acres.			Bushels.	Bushels.		
Bowen	222	224	199	25	6,301	9,310	2	3,009
Brisbane (A)	32	27	21	6	1,669	3,165	— 5	1,496
Brisbane (B)	34	28	17	11	491	4,452	— 6	3,961
Bundaberg	46	84	67	17	2,565	17,522	38	14,957
Caboolture	59	55	46	9	1,525	7,539	— 4	6,014
Cairns	280	259	200	59	36,980	34,471	— 21	— 2,509
Cape River	25	20	18	2	143	1,194	— 5	1,051
Cardwell	139	98	72	26	7,218	5,117	— 41	— 2,101
Charters Towers	33	29	27	2	3,670	4,308	— 4	638
Childers	39	48	13	35	646	3,502	9	2,856
Cleveland	41	58	18	40	1,794	5,344	17	3,550
Cook	67	60	22	38	3,746	1,885	— 7	— 1,861
Douglas	58	51	33	18	2,030	1,307	— 7	— 723
Esk	41	48	32	16	2,081	5,727	7	3,646
Gatton	90	96	79	17	2,327	9,690	6	7,363
Gayndah	29	32	13	19	595	2,286	3	1,691
Gladstone	55	39	23	16	1,992	3,798	— 16	1,806
Gympie	27	38	21	17	917	2,541	11	1,624
Helidon	63	66	60	6	1,602	6,084	3	4,482
Herberton	36	35	20	15	1,931	2,645	— 1	714
Ingham	22	28	23	5	10,197	1,894	6	— 8,303
Ipswich	25	25	9	16	340	624	...	284
Laidley	17	31	26	5	1,161	1,610	14	449
Logan	93	104	89	15	21,766	28,250	11	6,484
Lowood	20	23	23	...	887	1,252	3	365
Mackay	37	32	26	6	5,215	7,509	— 5	2,294
Maroochy	1,257	1,243	609	634	50,781	119,074	— 14	68,293
Maryborough	569	632	414	218	20,106	36,174	63	16,068
Nerang	54	49	43	6	3,641	6,039	— 5	2,398
Proserpine	25	28	16	12	868	2,244	3	1,376
Redcliffe	25	30	20	10	1,864	5,358	5	3,494
Rockhampton	160	180	130	50	7,732	15,830	20	8,098
Tiaro	47	60	33	27	545	3,389	13	2,844
Toowoomba	40	43	33	10	2,077	2,577	3	500
Woodford	16	18	9	9	654	2,478	2	1,824
All other Districts	319	380	242	138	19,488	34,810	61	15,322
Total	4,142	4,301	2,746	1,555	227,545	400,999	159	173,454

N.B.—Brisbane (B) refers to South Brisbane.

U.

MANGOES.

DETAILS IN PRINCIPAL DISTRICTS—TWO YEARS.

Petty Sessions District.	Area.		Bearing, 1917.	Not yet Bearing, 1917.	Produce.		Increase or Decrease —	
	1916.	1917.	Area.	Area.	1916.	1917.	Area.	Produce.
	Acres.	Acres.			Bushels.	Bushels.		
Bowen	27	28	24	4	6,200	9,059	1	2,859
Brisbane (A)	9	27	21	6	1,524	360	18	— 1,164
Bundaberg	13	11	10	1	1,483	457	— 2	— 1,026
Cairns	19	17	15	2	1,222	3,958	— 2	2,736
Childers	5	6	5	1	134	11	1	— 123
Cleveland	8	6	6	...	526	396	— 2	— 130
Douglas	7	9	8	1	387	1,027	2	640
Herberton	10	9	6	3	553	663	— 1	110
Ingham	38	25	22	3	22,083	2,143	— 13	— 19,940
Logan	17	16	14	2	3,161	242	— 1	— 2,919
Mackay	30	26	25	1	7,148	4,736	— 4	— 2,412
Maryborough	22	20	16	4	1,024	1,011	— 2	— 13
Proserpine	16	19	13	6	871	873	3	2
Redcliffe	9	13	11	2	1,103	1,186	4	83
Rockhampton	35	34	31	3	3,774	3,080	— 1	— 694
Tiaro	8	7	7	...	936	130	— 1	— 806
Townsville	19	15	12	3	6,607	1,913	— 4	— 4,694
All other Districts	52	64	44	20	9,469	14,071	12	4,602
Totals	344	352	290	62	68,205	45,316	8	22,889

V.

STRAWBERRIES.

DETAILS IN PRINCIPAL DISTRICTS—TWO YEARS.

Petty Sessions District.	Area.		Produce.		Increase or Decrease —	
	1916.	1917.	1916.	1917.	1917.	1917.
	Acres.	Acres.	Quarts.	Quarts.	Acres.	Quarts.
Brisbane (A)	7	9	5,840	3,005	2	— 2,835
Brisbane (B)	5	...	4,330	...	5	— 4,330
Bundaberg	5	5	340	2,715	...	2,375
Cleveland	45	29	63,230	18,857	16	— 44,373
Maroochy	34	30	23,672	27,718	4	— 4,046
Rockhampton	1	1	1,080	600	...	— 480
All other Districts	9	14	13,725	8,163	5	— 5,562
Totals	106	88	112,217	61,058	18	— 51,159

N.B.—Brisbane (B) refers to South Brisbane.

W.

APPLES.

DETAILS IN PRINCIPAL DISTRICTS—TWO YEARS.

Petty Sessions District.	Area.		Increase or Decrease — 1917.	Bearing, 1917.	Not Bearing, 1917.	Produce.		Increase or Decrease — 1917.
	1916.	1917.				1916.	1917.	
	Acres.	Acres.				Bushels.	Bushels.	
Crow's Nest	2	7	5	4	3	50	393	343
Dalby	3	3	...	2	1	40	91	51
Goombungee	2	2	...	1	1	60	100	40
Herberton	7	7	...	4	3	87	68	— 19
Highfields	1	2	1	2	...	176	287	111
Nanango	4	4	...	1	3	69	68	— 1
Nerang	5	1	— 4	1	...	300	24	— 276
Stanthorpe	2,198	2,281	83	1,285	996	36,226	51,685	15,459
Toowoomba	11	13	2	10	3	210	167	— 43
Warwick	17	13	— 4	11	2	184	509	325
All other Districts	36	30	— 6	22	8	2,007	966	— 1,041
Totals	2,286	2,363	77	1,343	1,020	39,409	54,358	14,949

W a.

OTHER FRUITS.

	Acres.	Yield.
Almonds	3	51 bushels
Apricots	109	3,772 bushels
Cape gooseberries	3	538 quarts
Cherries	37	509 bushels
Citrons	25	677 bushels
Custard apples	135	8,060 bushels
Figs	10	657 bushels
Lemons	302	15,948 bushels
Nectarines	182	4,549 bushels
Passion fruit	30	6,286 bushels
Paw-paws	208	54,772 dozen
Peaches	1,693	63,062 bushels
Pears	232	3,885 bushels
Persimmons	27	1,586 bushels
Plums	537	11,435 bushels
Quinces	35	360 bushels
Rosellas	7	477 bushels
Walnuts	2	1 bushel
Olives	1	14 bushels

X.
OTHER VEGETABLES.

Other Vegetables.	1916.		1917.	
	Acres.	Produce.	Acres.	Produce.
Pulse { Beans	26	1,506 bushels	11	209 bushels
Peas	23	726 bushels	17	372 bushels
Green { Beans	266	22,482 bushels	197	17,214 bushels
Peas	238	16,432 bushels	178	9,964 bushels
Cabbages and Cauliflowers ...	715	164,965 dozen	658	174,665 dozen
Cucumbers	272	100,403 dozen	208	108,919 dozen
Onions	189	8,415 cwt.	71	4,410 cwt.
Tomatoes	1,532	173,745 bushels	1,452	141,940 bushels
Turnips	162	827 tons	49	241 tons

X a.
PRINCIPAL OTHER CROPS.

	1916.		1917.	
	Acres.	Produce.	Acres.	Produce.
Cocoanuts	665	26,933 dozen	919	{ 19,815 dozen and 2½ tons copra
Broom millet	709	254,303 lb.	393	182,405 lb.
Canary seed	675	440,855 lb.	7,596	4,406,904 lb.
Indiarubber	6	...	13	...
Grass seed	1,588	14,219 bushels	819	9,365 bushels
Mangold wurzel	203	1,639 tons	51	444 tons
Peanuts	120	177,660 lb.	175	239,396 lb.
Sisal Hemp	41	56 cwt.	50	240 cwt.
Lucerne seed	50	140 lb.	46	2,820 lb.
Millet seed	354	4,239 bushels	547	13,721 bushels

X b.
PASTURAGE—FIVE YEARS.

	1913. Acres.	1914. Acres.	1915. Acres.	1916. Acres.	1917. Acres.
Hay	76,469	79,327	55,174	112,964	96,431
Green forage	171,290	184,239	236,293	116,449	87,909
Artificially sown pasture ..	236,582	290,147	305,186	363,876	406,094
Total	484,341	553,713	596,653	593,289	590,434

Y.
HAY—TWO YEARS.

Hay Crops.	Area.		Increase or Decrease —	Produce.		Increase or Decrease —
	1916.	1917.		1916.	1917.	
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
Wheat	21,047	7,247	— 13,800	23,297	7,369	— 15,928
Oats	30,041	10,901	— 19,140	39,303	13,027	— 26,276
Lucerne	55,928	73,347	17,419	74,797	125,642	50,845
Other	5,948	4,936	— 1,012	7,882	7,857	— 25
Totals	112,964	96,431	— 16,533	145,279	153,895	8,616

Z.

ARTIFICIALLY GROWN PASTURE.

Petty Sessions District.							1916.	1917.	Increase, 1917.	Decrease, 1917.
							Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.
Beaudesert	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,123	5,905	1,782	...
Biggenden	...	...	...	...	...	...	14,357	15,828	1,471	...
Caboolture	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,671	2,632	...	39
Condamine	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,122	2,742	...	380
Dalby	...	...	...	...	...	...	28,178	36,809	8,631	...
Dugandan	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,374	3,213	839	...
Eidsvold	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,636	857	...	779
Esk	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,546	1,679	133	...
Gatton	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,801	5,429	628	...
Gayndah	...	...	...	...	...	...	14,785	19,088	4,303	...
Gladstone	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,088	8,574	1,486	...
Goondiwindi	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,601	4,325	724	...
Gympie	...	...	...	...	...	...	62,183	73,168	10,985	...
Helidon	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,658	2,965	307	...
Herberton	...	...	...	...	...	...	27,462	29,864	2,402	...
Maroochy	...	...	...	...	...	...	43,367	42,839	...	528
Nanango	...	...	...	...	...	...	32,369	33,476	1,107	...
Nerang	...	...	...	...	...	...	15,800	16,682	882	...
Pittsworth	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,834	8,971	3,137	...
Redcliffe	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,950	1,500	...	450
Rockhampton	...	...	...	...	...	...	10,071	21,315	11,244	...
Tiaro	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,877	3,685	808	...
Wienholt	...	...	...	...	...	...	49,115	42,459	...	6,656
Woodford	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,644	7,931	1,287	...
All other Districts	...	...	...	...	...	...	15,264	14,158	...	1,106
Totals	...	...	...	...	...	...	363,876	406,094	42,218	...

Z a.

ENSILAGE.

Petty Sessions District.							1916.		1917.		Increase, 1916.	Decrease, 1916.
							No. of Makers.	Tons.	No. of Makers.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
Ailora	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	65	65	...
Beaudesert	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	135	2	50	...	85
Biggenden	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	250	250	...
Brisbane (A)	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	300	3	318	18	...
Brisbane (B)	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	200	2	200	...	...
Bundaberg	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	79	...	...	...	79
Cairns	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	130	1	80	...	50
Cleveland	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	4	1	5	1	...
Condamine	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	4	1	6	2	...
Dalby	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	135	8	280	145	...
Dugandan	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	50	1	85	35	...
Esk	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	1,560	9	1,135	...	425
Gatton	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	189	1	345	156	...
Gayndah	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	5	5	...
Gladstone	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	240	2	253	13	...
Gympie	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	170	3	100	...	70
Harrisville	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	30	...	...	...	30
Herberton	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	165	...	...	...	165
Highfields	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	10	...	...	...	10
Kilcoy	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	70	70	...
Laidley	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	20	2	30	10	...
Logan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	24	24	...
Maroochy	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	20	...	...	...	20
Maryborough	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	5	1	5	...	...
Nanango	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	183	2	180	...	3
Oakey	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	40	2	120	80	...
Pittsworth	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	4	...	...	...	4
Redcliffe	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	15	15	...
Rockhampton	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	471	4	327	...	144
Roma	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	70	70	...
Texas	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	18	18	...
Toowoomba	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	283	2	250	...	33
Townsville	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	10	...	...	...	10
Wienholt	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	678	4	270	...	408
Totals	...	...	...	...	...	...	70	5,115	60	4,556	...	559

N.B.—Brisbane (B) refers to South Brisbane.

Table No. I.

RETURN SHOWING the RESULTS of the DAIRYING INDUSTRY for the YEAR ended 31st DECEMBER, 1917.

District.	Total Milk Obtained.	HOW UTILISED.							ESTABLISHMENTS.			DAIRY CATTLE.		BUTTER MADE.			CHEESE MADE.		
		For Butter on Farms.	For Cheese on Farms.	For Domestic Purposes by Producer.	Separated for Sale.	Sold for Consumption as Milk.	Sold to Condensed Milk Factories.	Sold to Cheese Factories.	Dairy ing.	Butter Factories.	Cheese Factories.	In Milk.	Dry.	At Factories.	By Farmers.	Total.	At Factories.	By Farmers.	Total.
<i>Moreton—</i>	Gallons.	Gallons.	Gallons.	Gallons.	Gallons.	Gallons.	Gallons.	Gallons.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Lb.	Lb.	Lb.	Lb.	Lb.	Lb.
Brisbane (A.) ...	1,979,520	155,844	...	286,161	481,142	1,056,373	...	...	558	...	...	5,157	1,694	...	47,775	47,775	...	...	...
Brisbane (B.) ...	931,226	20,649	...	42,869	119,491	748,217	...	...	185	1	...	2,555	1,164	248,100	7,315	255,415	...	...	...
Beaudesert ...	3,931,847	120,682	...	130,580	3,647,748	32,837	...	...	439	1	...	12,777	3,622	1,247,600	57,193	1,304,793	...	...	...
Caboolture ...	729,776	21,061	...	24,842	670,975	12,898	...	...	116	1	...	2,559	646	2,910,760	10,152	2,920,912	...	...	...
Cleveland ...	92,362	4,136	...	48,347	5,000	34,879	...	...	99	...	...	312	170	...	1,568	1,568	...	...	...
Cooyar ...	294,406	21,513	...	18,580	254,313	...	...	...	64	...	...	1,087	228	...	9,860	9,860	...	...	...
Crow's Nest ...	1,512,383	90,924	...	57,135	1,360,004	4,320	...	...	343	1	...	5,128	1,143	532,239	43,811	576,050	...	...	...
Dugandan ...	2,561,562	104,208	...	168,837	2,271,610	16,907	...	...	517	1	...	8,144	1,606	1,743,897	49,867	1,793,764	...	...	...
Esk ...	2,524,108	94,510	...	110,733	1,326,836	12,132	975,897	...	342	1	...	8,166	2,932	319,455	41,641	361,096	...	...	...
Gatton ...	1,995,785	117,689	2,548	121,471	1,748,501	4,530	...	...	537	2	...	5,633	1,419	1,362,681	55,125	1,417,806	...	2,540	2,540
Goodna ...	143,931	14,477	...	38,375	90,959	120	...	...	35	...	...	312	164	...	5,989	5,989	...	...	...
Harrisville ...	1,867,540	100,159	150	58,235	1,708,078	453	...	465	353	...	...	6,227	1,226	...	40,957	40,957	...	50	50
Helidon ...	1,232,583	60,319	...	58,127	1,113,522	615	...	...	249	...	...	3,479	722	...	23,129	23,129	...	...	...
Ipswich ...	1,085,824	45,402	...	46,594	803,490	190,338	...	...	191	3	...	3,493	928	1,747,262	22,114	1,769,376	...	...	...
Kilcoy ...	1,224,184	49,256	...	48,716	1,124,012	2,200	...	...	123	...	...	3,497	854	...	21,660	21,660	...	...	...
Laidley ...	1,643,501	95,227	...	88,368	1,453,616	6,290	...	...	436	1	...	4,842	927	684,158	39,801	723,959	...	...	...
Logan ...	1,440,289	53,238	...	114,515	1,244,600	27,936	...	...	432	1	...	4,801	1,446	2,558,808	15,752	2,574,560	...	...	...
Lowood ...	1,477,566	49,564	...	54,258	1,076,950	180	296,614	...	277	...	...	4,368	918	...	23,485	23,485	...	...	...
Maroochy ...	4,379,760	98,923	...	251,640	4,020,761	8,436	...	...	783	1	...	12,676	3,255	998,376	43,390	1,041,766	...	...	...
Neerang ...	3,446,057	101,566	300	75,218	3,021,182	60,115	...	187,676	308	...	...	11,494	2,643	...	43,474	43,474	...	140	140
Redcliffe ...	3,029,207	64,150	736	61,373	2,551,560	351,388	...	...	287	1	...	6,358	1,595	543,695	31,310	575,005	...	736	736
Rosewood ...	1,878,021	76,750	...	63,768	1,679,662	7,041	50,800	...	327	...	2	6,177	1,309	...	38,369	38,369	39,619	...	39,619
Southport ...	202,906	4,928	...	6,477	152,739	38,762	...	...	34	...	...	719	361	...	1,951	1,951	...	...	...
Townshend ...	1,291,952	23,016	...	41,698	1,226,558	680	...	...	200	2	...	3,134	665	804,288	10,495	814,783	...	...	...
Woodford ...	1,233,163	27,667	53,600	25,433	1,029,866	97	...	...	122	1	6	3,754	1,142	537,105	12,076	549,181	156,583	43,920	200,503
Wynnum ...	98,072	13,340	...	15,990	4,416	64,326	...	...	48	...	...	388	70	...	4,888	4,888	...	...	...
Total Moreton ...	42,227,531	1,633,198	57,334	2,058,340	34,187,591	2,682,070	1,273,557	335,441	7,405	18	8	126,237	32,849	16,238,424	703,147	16,941,571	196,202	47,386	243,588
<i>Wide Bay—</i>																			
Biggenden ...	1,876,154	69,343	8,433	90,302	1,522,786	182	...	185,108	289	1	2	6,646	1,973	727,438	34,627	762,065	173,935	8,430	182,415
Bundaberg ...	1,061,864	119,728	...	187,666	664,670	59,800	...	...	415	1	...	3,468	1,905	586,929	58,482	645,411	...	...	...
Childers ...	236,002	81,446	...	61,795	85,502	7,259	...	...	189	...	...	911	397	...	31,456	31,456	...	...	...
Eidsvold ...	126,939	38,074	...	10,197	78,668	...	...	...	49	...	...	479	149	...	10,125	10,125	...	...	...
Gayndah ...	1,811,732	96,799	...	58,986	1,499,775	5,840	150,332	...	370	2	2	7,182	1,406	752,803	38,496	791,299	426,219	...	426,219
Gin Gin ...	543,829	77,470	...	50,227	415,162	970	...	...	176	...	...	1,627	1,069	...	27,830	27,830	...	...	...
Gympie ...	9,930,235	250,182	...	223,485	9,413,909	42,659	...	...	858	3	...	26,183	5,955	3,340,609	95,460	3,436,069	...	...	...
Kilkivan ...	787,841	46,848	...	33,685	655,577	820	50,911	...	103	...	...	2,630	777	...	16,100	16,100	...	...	...
Maryborough ...	909,523	140,022	...	110,559	563,857	95,085	...	...	336	1	...	3,216	1,189	819,772	56,478	876,250	...	...	...
Mount Perry ...	24,255	8,840	...	5,465	8,950	1,000	...	...	23	...	...	220	224	...	4,420	4,420	...	...	...
Nanango ...	4,325,783	185,523	...	152,683	3,955,946	31,631	...	...	631	2	...	10,181	3,276	1,637,074	70,576	1,707,650	...	...	...
Tiaro ...	1,304,979	120,249	4,905	55,946	1,123,879	...	...	...	263	...	...	5,046	1,594	...	39,156	39,156	...	4,905	4,905
Wienholt ...	4,222,830	117,043	...	149,457	3,597,754	4,878	...	...	610	1	3	10,789	2,584	1,913,004	49,984	1,962,988	435,194	...	435,194
Total Wide Bay ...	27,161,966	1,381,567	13,338	1,190,453	23,586,435	250,124	...	740,049	4,312	11	7	78,578	22,468	9,777,629	533,190	10,310,819	1,035,398	13,335	1,048,733
<i>Port Curtis—</i>																			
Banana ...	29,555	20,662	...	8,893	...	...	...	...	25	...	...	166	226	...	4,971	4,971	...	...	...
Gladstone ...	1,663,358	121,659	...	62,029	1,467,374	12,296	...	...	279	1	...	5,845	4,423	638,536	40,436	678,972	...	...	...
Mount Morgan ...	55,263	2,910	...	5,695	9,300	37,358	...	...	17	...	...	253	378	...	1,115	1,115	...	...	...
Rockhampton ...	1,670,833	191,731	...	116,797	1,164,443	197,862	...	...	454	2	...	8,556	4,472	761,890	67,294	829,184	...	...	...
St. Lawrence ...	9,254	5,694	...	3,560	...	...	...	...	8	...	...	64	28	...	1,565	1,565	...	...	...
Total Port Curtis	3,428,263	342,656	...	196,974	2,641,117	247,516	...	...	783	3	...	14,884	9,527	1,400,426	115,381	1,515,707	...	...	...

a Including 1,313,483 gallons of milk sent to New South Wales.

Table No. I.—continued.

RETURN SHOWING the RESULTS of the DAIRYING INDUSTRY for the YEAR ended 31st DECEMBER, 1917—continued.

District.	Total Milk Obtained.	HOW UTILISED.							ESTABLISHMENTS.			DAIRY CATTLE.		BUTTER MADE.			CHEESE MADE.		
		For Butter on Farms.	For Cheese on Farms.	For Domestic Purposes by Producer.	Separated for Sale.	Sold for Consumption as Milk.	Sold to Condensed Milk Factories.	Sold to Cheese Factories.	Dairying.	Butter Factories.	Cheese Factories.	In Milk.	Dry.	At Factories.	By Farmers.	Total.	At Factories.	By Farmers.	Total.
		Gallons.	Gallons.	Gallons.	Gallons.	Gallons.	Gallons.	Gallons.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Lb.	Lb.	Lb.	Lb.	Lb.	Lb.
<i>Downs—</i>																			
Allora	1,423,972	50,772	...	79,639	869,971	15,000	...	408,590	258	1	...	3,817	696	504,000	25,779	529,779	...	...	...
Clifton	2,420,256	92,857	...	105,561	984,328	2,100	...	1,235,410	371	1	12	4,554	984	307,123	40,575	347,698	1,486,623	...	1,486,623
Condamine	1,224,998	57,176	...	51,917	1,109,158	6,747	...	...	178	1	...	3,944	1,133	740,079	26,505	766,584	...	...	...
Dalby	5,066,307	202,792	30	186,317	3,857,342	21,811	...	798,015	751	2	5	12,391	4,773	1,498,702	84,758	1,583,460	585,693	80	585,723
Goombungee	873,937	27,624	...	25,003	694,250	...	...	127,060	138	1	4	1,971	504	551,040	13,812	564,852	458,303	...	458,303
Goondiwindi	294,000	22,712	...	25,870	232,218	13,200	...	...	90	1	...	974	328	129,920	7,694	137,614	174,000	...	174,000
Highfields	1,418,138	65,477	...	35,221	1,028,854	...	...	288,586	219	...	3	3,051	675	...	27,407	27,407	373,523	...	373,523
Inglewood	395,282	28,375	...	33,992	225,812	570	...	103,533	100	...	3	1,567	577	...	12,891	12,891	293,798	...	293,798
Jondaryan	988,899	18,325	...	47,850	645,488	7,648	...	289,588	187	1	8	2,720	1,580	106,680	7,037	113,717	726,757	...	726,757
Killarney	797,029	105,208	...	58,606	588,819	2,033	...	42,363	206	1	2	2,207	873	128,764	42,559	171,323	21,738	...	21,738
Oakey	2,659,498	83,606	...	98,514	411,352	6,444	1,072,130	1,017,362	408	1	3	6,137	1,438	642,663	35,648	678,311	626,699	...	626,699
Pittsworth	3,917,774	81,440	...	167,495	414,937	17,413	...	3,236,489	520	...	13	8,116	2,176	...	29,514	29,514	2,983,079	...	2,983,079
Stanthorpe	96,371	23,466	...	32,661	21,100	19,144	...	...	153	...	...	459	175	...	6,062	6,062	...	...	...
Texas	361,091	19,670	...	15,569	325,752	100	...	...	45	1	...	724	292	136,640	3,823	140,463	...	...	...
Toowoomba	2,242,610	87,450	...	139,092	428,239	188,705	546,983	852,141	500	1	6	5,256	1,384	1,743,901	38,504	1,782,407	1,178,446	...	1,178,446
Warwick	2,401,077	173,359	...	195,632	1,408,845	42,621	...	580,620	597	1	7	6,702	1,683	1,001,280	79,594	1,080,874	809,095	...	809,095
Total Downs	26,611,149	1,140,309	30	1,301,939	13,226,465	343,536	1,619,113	8,979,757	4,721	13	66	64,590	19,271	7,490,794	482,162	7,972,956	9,717,754	30	9,717,784
Other Districts	5,955,120	732,012	129,293	763,250	3,929,338	376,620	...	24,607	2,183	2	2	18,844	12,260	1,946,758	242,879	2,189,637	24,222	107,787	132,009
Grand Total, 1917	105,384,029	5,229,742	199,995	5,510,956	97,570,946	3,899,866	2,892,670	10,079,854	19,404	47	83	303,133	96,375	36,854,031	2,076,659	38,930,690	10,973,576	168,538	11,142,114
Grand Total, 1916	86,938,330	5,027,014	73,844	5,426,020	62,351,401	3,774,347	1,964,278	8,321,476	18,410	50	67	247,855	95,456	26,924,423	2,042,856	28,967,279	8,423,920	71,905	8,495,825
Increase, 1917	18,445,649	202,728	126,151	84,936	15,219,545	125,519	928,392	1,758,378	994	...	16	55,278	919	9,929,608	33,803	9,963,411	2,549,656	96,633	2,646,289
Decrease, 1917 ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

Table No. II.

RETURN showing the TOTAL EXTENT of LAND under CULTIVATION, and the AREA under each DESCRIPTION of CROP, in the several PETTY SESSIONS DISTRICTS of the STATE during the YEAR 1917.

DIVISIONS AND PETTY SESSIONS DISTRICTS.	Total Extent of Land under permanent Pasture with Artificially Sown Grasses.	Total Extent of Land under Cultivation.	Land in Fallow, Lying Idle, &c.	Total Extent of Land under Crop.	GRAIN CROPS.							POTATOES.		Pumpkins and Melons.	Cotton.	Sugar-cane.	Arrowroot.	Tobacco.	COFFEE.		Hay (All Kinds).	Green Fodder.	VINES.		Bananas.	Pineapples.	Oranges.	Gardens and Orchards.	Other Crops.
					Wheat.	Oats.	Barley.		Maize.	Rye.	Rice.	English.	Sweet.						Bearing.	Not Bearing.			Bearing.	Not Bearing.					
							Maiting.	Other.																					
<i>Moreton Division.</i>	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	
Brisbane (A.)	233	6,807	1,294	5,513	...	...	...	...	361	...	...	180	134	216	2	...	2	...	...	...	278	1,307	318	12	949	685	27	376	663
Brisbane (B.)	123	2,111	470	1,641	...	1	...	...	84	...	...	45	14	35	...	...	1	...	...	...	150	721	11	...	81	184	28	200	86
Beaudesert	5,905	7,228	1,980	5,248	...	4	...	...	2,564	...	...	128	21	112	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,643	700	1	...	10	1	23	25	16
Caboolture	2,632	877	176	701	...	...	...	...	156	...	...	58	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	114	1	...	126	158	55	8	12
Cleveland	4	2,176	510	1,666	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	12	7	14	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	106	3	...	283	750	58	209	219
Cooyar ... ..	...	1,541	298	1,243	88	8	...	12	629	...	...	109	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	302	94	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Crow's Nest	2,106	11,175	2,845	8,330	308	18	66	19	5,485	...	...	432	...	243	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,044	654	5	...	...	...	17	36	2
Dugandan	3,213	17,299	2,782	14,517	...	...	66	19	8,848	...	...	453	14	916	1	...	1	...	...	...	2,659	1,505	6	...	19	2	8	16	65
Esk	1,679	11,740	4,508	7,232	...	...	...	4	2,641	...	...	172	64	276	1	...	...	...	...	...	2,017	1,940	2	...	17	6	48	32	16
Gatton	5,429	22,546	5,625	16,921	13	...	...	...	6,615	...	...	1,246	298	1,101	4	10	...	...	...	...	6,000	1,444	10	3	...	96	25	52	52
Goodna ... ..	...	246	2	244	...	...	...	...	107	...	...	18	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	72	30	5	...	...	2	4	2	2
Harrisville	262	11,948	2,609	9,339	...	...	...	...	3,958	...	...	124	49	373	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,773	1,003	3	...	3	...	10	35	8
Helidon	2,965	5,568	905	4,663	4	...	...	...	1,416	...	...	544	94	341	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,584	566	7	...	...	66	38	3	3
Ipswich	49	3,904	1,550	2,354	...	...	...	...	897	...	...	82	38	87	...	...	3	...	...	...	475	690	2	...	11	19	25	17	8
Kilcoy	1,478	2,054	807	1,247	...	...	...	...	635	...	...	61	16	21	...	...	2	...	...	...	210	227	2	1	3	...	5	56	8
Laidley	1,068	19,088	3,330	15,758	...	...	...	...	7,771	...	...	811	163	338	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,612	809	12	1	7	1	31	42	160
Logan	733	4,420	12	4,408	...	...	...	...	950	...	...	543	116	1	...	1,134	95	...	...	...	194	494	13	1	439	206	104	79	39
Lowood	474	10,027	1,759	8,268	...	...	...	...	4,917	...	...	519	141	475	1	...	6	1	...	...	836	1,222	42	2	...	7	23	35	11
Maroochy	42,839	8,544	802	7,742	...	...	...	...	574	...	...	47	27	2	...	1,530	2	...	21	...	32	233	5	...	2,608	1,181	1,243	213	24
Nerang	16,682	2,257	331	1,876	...	...	...	...	696	...	...	123	6	3	...	93	208	...	...	...	35	277	...	...	450	2	49	22	2
Redcliffe	1,500	3,922	726	3,196	...	...	...	...	704	...	...	167	185	28	...	16	...	...	...	...	271	893	6	1	764	50	30	63	36
Rosewood	42	9,138	2,027	7,111	...	...	...	...	2,570	...	...	129	26	229	2	43	4	...	...	...	1,817	2,286	...	...	...	1	1	...	3
Southport	350	570	147	423	...	...	...	...	63	...	...	20	1	3	...	281	...	...	...	...	10	25	...	...	2	2	...	11	5
Townshend	82	6,031	315	5,716	...	...	...	...	2,661	...	...	118	65	302	...	361	22	...	...	...	418	1,677	14	...	2	10	8	39	19
Woodford	7,931	861	402	459	3	...	1	...	202	...	...	19	17	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	37	1	...	66	37	18	32	8
Wynnum	6	640	149	491	...	...	...	...	14	...	...	11	33	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	58	24	4	13	39	4	245	26
Total Moreton	97,790	172,718	36,411	136,307	416	31	71	35	55,464	...	...	6,171	1,543	5,134	11	3,468	346	1	21	...	29,460	19,112	493	25	6,835	3,341	1,979	1,857	1,493
<i>Wide Bay Division.</i>																													
Biggenden	15,828	2,173	703	1,470	...	...	...	...	756	...	...	43	4	3	...	325	...	...	...	...	255	68	...	...	9	...	5	...	4
Bundaberg	288	27,612	3,988	23,624	...	...	...	...	1,507	...	...	96	22	23	...	20,892	...	...	...	...	351	332	11	4	109	47	84	124	22
Childers	725	17,121	2,918	14,203	...	...	...	...	581	...	...	6	3	19	...	13,234	...	...	...	...	48	203	1	...	11	22	48	21	6
Eidsvold	857	899	426	473	...	...	...	...	309	...	...	18	11	23	4	...	...	...	...	...	57	29	2	...	...	...	4	15	1
Gayndah	19,088	5,883	1,183	4,700	9	...	20	...	2,966	...	...	87	31	106	1	...	...	...	...	...	605	536	...	2	...	...	32	10	295
Gin Gin	550	8,515	2,994	5,521	...	...	...	...	903	...	...	40	7	49	...	4,189	...	...	...	...	259	42	4	...	1	2	18	7	...
Gympie	73,168	5,620	1,044	4,576	...	...	...	...	1,861	...	...	189	58	30	1	111	3	...	...	...	680	586	10	...	868	28	38	92	21
Kirkivan	1,116	1,521	555	966	...	...	...	...	432	...	...	53	11	36	...	...	...	...	...	...	220	175	1	...	4	...	2	32	...
Maryborough	620	7,430	2,059	5,371	...	...	...	...	251	...	...	175	26	32	...	2,553	...	...	4	...	545	347	24	4	475	191	632	93	19
Mount Perry	222	152	25	127	...	...	...	...	59	...	...	10	8	5	...	16	...	...	...	...	9	3	...	...	4	6	3	4	...
Nanango	33,476	28,902	5,765	23,137	1,418	205	...	...	15,419	...	...	339	9	120	6	...	...	...	...	...	2,659	2,839	5	...	...	11	10	75	22
Tiaro	3,685	5,098	1,152	3,946	...	...	...	...	758	...	...	199	7	13	...	2,148	2	...	...	...	297	131	2	...	191	101	60	30	7
Wienholt	42,459	30,842	12,727	18,115	323	22	8	...	13,229	...	...	697	36	359	...	...	1	...	...	...	2,285	1,056	2	1	...	2	12	51	26
Total Wide Bay	192,082	141,768	35,539	106,229	1,755	227	28	...	39,031	...	...	1,952	233	818	12	43,466	6	...	4	...	8,270	6,347	62	11	1,672	410	948	554	423
<i>Port Curtis Division.</i>																													
Banana ... ..	...	31	17	14	...	...	...	...	7	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	1
Gladstone	8,574	4,005	935	3,070	...	...	...	...	1,646	...	...	214	50	45	...	556	2	...	...	...	190	101	3	...	109	20	39	40	55
Mount Morgan	8	231	56	175	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	2	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	97	19	2	...	...	1	4	34	10
Rockhampton	21,315	11,208	3,027	8,181	...	...	...	...	4,440	...	...	290	76	517	64	...	...	...	...	...	1,414	581	24	2	81	114	180	293	195
St. Lawrence ... ..	...	184	60	124	...	...	...	...	35	...	...	16	2	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	27	7	...	...	2	2	...	25	...
Total Port Curtis	29,897	15,659	4,095	11,564	6,130	432	130	573	64	556	2	1,730	708	29	2	192	137	224	394	261

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Table No. III.

RETURN showing the GROSS PRODUCE of PRINCIPAL CROPS Raised in the several PETTY SESSIONS DISTRICTS of the STATE during the YEAR ended 31st DECEMBER, 1917.

DIVISIONS AND PETTY SESSIONS DISTRICTS.	QUANTITY OF PRODUCE.																				
	GRAIN CROPS.							POTATOES.		Pumpkins and Melons.	Cotton.	SUGAR-CANE.		Arrowroot (Tubers).	Tobacco (Cured Leaf).	Coffee.	Hay (All Kinds).	VINES.		Pineapples.	Oranges.
	Wheat.	Oats.	Barley.		Maize.	Rye.	Rice.	English.	Sweet.			Area Crushed.	Weight Obtained.								
			Malting.	Other.														Grapes Gathered.	Bananas.		
	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Lb.	Acres.	Tons.	Tons.	Lb.	Lb.	Tons.	Lb.	Bunches.	Dozens.	Bushels.
<i>Moreton Division.</i>																					
Brisbane (A) ...	...	...	...	...	10,568	...	...	401	666	722	80	...	...	7	...	...	886	510,360	176,716	199,449	3,165
Brisbane (B) ...	...	10	...	...	2,368	...	...	97	56	2	...	...	...	2	...	...	580	17,634	7,860	33,635	4,452
Beaudesert ...	...	60	...	...	65,292	...	...	252	94	563	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,104	9,865	726	81	1,805
Caboolture ...	...	...	...	...	4,931	...	...	130	66	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	8,105	19,368	25,336	7,539
Cleveland ...	...	...	...	...	60	...	...	20	27	31	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	9,375	49,947	169,341	5,344
Cooyar ...	669	150	...	150	14,121	...	...	223	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	636	...	...	...	...
Crow's Nest ...	4,222	207	2,421	339	140,529	...	...	1,024	...	998	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,650	22,775	...	...	2,149
Dugandan ...	...	...	...	54	230,683	...	...	855	28	3,565	700	...	...	1	...	...	5,956	19,439	1,244	163	769
Esk ...	...	...	...	...	75,061	...	...	440	370	1,361	1,600	...	...	...	...	...	6,229	7,933	476	47	5,727
Gatton ...	144	...	44	...	118,838	...	...	2,328	1,299	3,316	4,368	10	100	...	...	...	12,365	12,278	...	...	9,690
Goodna ...	...	...	...	...	2,894	...	...	23	6	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	157	4,300	...	...	292
Harrisville ...	...	...	...	...	83,630	...	...	240	118	1,219	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,771	6,679	3	...	922
Helidon ...	80	...	...	...	30,978	...	...	1,142	492	938	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,105	4,711	...	...	6,084
Ipswich ...	...	...	...	...	21,551	...	...	225	192	237	...	...	...	8	...	...	1,203	762	1,035	2,195	624
Kilcoy ...	...	...	...	...	21,071	...	...	154	111	132	...	...	...	13	...	...	821	2,384	150	...	790
Laidley ...	...	...	...	...	203,177	...	...	1,175	594	1,114	...	...	...	...	...	...	12,662	33,396	196	82	1,610
Logan ...	...	...	...	...	22,307	...	...	1,073	4.7	5	...	799	10,011	993	...	...	934	30,540	64,612	63,001	28,250
Lowood ...	...	...	...	...	117,255	...	...	741	690	1,885	1,728	...	...	17	144	...	2,193	111,890	...	1,076	1,252
Maroochy ...	...	...	...	...	14,066	...	...	91	183	2	...	900	26,152	39	...	6,446	88	6,400	353,023	259,153	119,074
Nerang ...	...	...	...	...	16,096	...	...	236	39	12	...	75	1,882	2,475	...	...	67	...	22,669	290	6,039
Redcliffe ...	...	...	...	...	21,661	...	...	369	1,639	124	...	4	172	...	...	...	854	15,394	167,575	9,049	5,358
Rosewood ...	...	...	...	...	51,347	...	...	231	87	1,628	1,335	31	391	30	...	...	4,454	...	...	25	65
Southport ...	...	...	...	...	1,460	...	...	33	2	7	...	216	3,675	...	...	...	30	...	52	100	...
Townshend ...	...	...	...	...	57,176	...	...	251	370	1,216	...	263	4,488	146	...	...	1,250	21,507	79	628	443
Woodford ...	15	...	15	...	6,092	...	...	40	94	104	...	...	...	...	...	...	31	1,331	15,165	8,957	2,478
Wynnum ...	...	...	...	...	385	...	...	34	323	33	...	...	...	...	...	...	29	94,200	2,700	13,408	168
Total Moreton	5,121	427	2,480	543	1,363,597	...	...	11,828	7,965	19,417	9,811	2,298	46,871	3,731	144	6,446	70,069	951,258	883,626	786,916	214,089
<i>Wide Bay Division.</i>																					
Biggenden...	...	...	...	...	19,477	...	...	76	31	10	...	307	1,393	...	...	...	529	...	2,500	...	1,093
Bundaberg ...	...	...	...	...	44,783	...	...	257	83	65	...	13,890	396,508	...	...	...	1,250	13,924	15,582	8,364	17,522
Childers ...	...	...	...	...	13,387	...	...	9	7	68	...	7,749	287,835	...	...	...	171	1,420	869	2,055	3,502
Eidsvold ...	...	...	...	...	5,903	...	...	42	62	53	5,000	...	...	...	...	...	127	5,640	...	...	435
Gayndah ...	15	...	150	...	59,114	...	...	172	175	671	337	...	...	...	...	...	724	...	...	...	2,286
Gin Gin ...	...	...	...	...	22,292	...	...	87	30	137	...	3,035	49,580	...	...	...	786	7,255	156	544	4,504
Gympie ...	...	...	...	...	64,930	...	...	405	575	115	560	96	2,227	34	...	...	1,194	17,300	118,906	2,602	2,541
Kilkivan ...	...	...	...	...	11,522	...	...	146	15	165	...	...	...	...	...	...	416	2,060	100	...	426
Maryborough ...	...	...	...	...	6,367	...	...	353	99	112	...	1,563	38,800	...	1,200	...	1,231	48,992	91,663	42,338	36,174
Mount Perry ...	...	...	...	...	1,630	...	...	19	24	12	...	16	295	...	...	...	19	...	800	440	300
Nanango ...	12,163	3,468	...	...	429,316	...	...	680	48	370	420	...	...	...	...	...	4,550	28,518	...	5	1,410
Tiaro ...	...	...	...	...	29,009	...	...	411	38	46	...	1,324	27,686	1	...	...	1,009	4,141	18,712	13,768	3,389
Wienholt ...	1,438	303	162	...	366,625	...	...	1,206	94	1,037	...	...	...	6	...	...	4,861	11,275	...	250	642
Total Wide Bay	13,616	3,771	312	...	1,074,355	...	...	3,863	1,281	2,891	6,317	27,980	804,324	41	...	1,200	16,867	140,525	252,288	70,366	74,224
<i>Port Curtis Division.</i>																					
Banana ...	...	...	...	...	102	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	30
Gladstone ...	...	...	...	...	45,901	...	...	469	155	160	...	416	9,685	1	...	...	572	2,410	7,741	2,105	3,798
Mount Morgan ...	...	...	...	...	38	...	...	2	4	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	155	1,059	...	70	435
Rockhampton ...	...	...	...	...	108,501	...	...	319	355	1,527	39,271	...	...	...	...	...	3,184	35,757	11,007	22,442	15,830
St. Lawrence ...	...	...	...	...	1,223	...	...	23	3	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	121	...	150	228	...
Total Port Curtis	...	...	...	...	155,765	...	...	813	517	1,705	39,271	416	9,685	1	...	...	4,034	39,226	18,898	24,845	20,093

Table No. III.—continued.

DIVISIONS AND PETTY SESSIONS DISTRICTS.	QUANTITY OF PRODUCE.																				
	GRAIN CROPS.							POTATOES.		Pumpkins and Melons.	Cotton.	SUGAR-CANE.		Arrowroot (Tubers).	Tobacco (Cured Leaf).	Coffee.	Hay (All Kinds).	VINES.	Bananas.	Pineapples.	Oranges.
	Wheat.	Oats.	Barley.		Maize.	Rye.	Rice.	English.	Sweet.			Area Crushed.	Weight Obtained.					Grapes Gathered.			
			Malting.	Other.																	
	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Lb.	Acres.	Tons.	Tons.	Lb.	Lb.	Tons.	Lb.	Bunches.	Doz. rs.	Bushels.
<i>Edgecumbe Division.</i>																					
Ayr	2,761	...	...	129	37	40	2,554	6,139	232,316	...	...	...	...	...	11,690	82	498
Bowen	3,854	...	...	234	43	169	...	54	948	...	29,529	...	...	...	1,989	4,261	9,310
Cape River	20	...	...	9	6	14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	435	...	1,194
Charters Towers	90	...	...	3	8	41	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,033	...	4,308
Mackay	945	...	...	63	33	3	...	25,959	564,200	...	...	2,000	2	23,488	5,590	646	7,509
Proserpine	441	...	...	13	34	3	...	4,081	78,490	...	5,959	...	...	...	3,942	523	2,244
Ravenswood	1,000	...	625
Townsville	1,395	...	...	794	55	202	...	371	13,572	...	10,408	...	...	...	48,230	2,710	65
Total Edgecumbe	9,506	...	...	1,245	216	472	2,554	36,604	889,526	...	45,896	2,000	2	30,956	71,441	8,282	25,753
<i>Rockingham Division.</i>																					
Cairns	2,919	...	...	36	80	7	...	13,845	361,344	...	...	1,370	...	...	100,741	46,547	34,471
Cardwell	895	...	...	...	103	...	...	...	...	...	220	...	...	...	7,550	330	5,117
Chillagoe	261	...	...	6	26	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,392	51	36
Herberton	586,574	...	210	177	213	53	1,874	...	...	...	...	5,126	73	5,069	5,460	216	2,645
Ingham	1,197	...	...	25	43	...	...	10,918	272,993	...	...	...	...	...	1,997	55	1,894
Mourilyan	60	...	...	...	2	...	...	12,771	253,294	...	...	...	...	...	4,250	6,010	3,078
Total Rockingham	591,906	...	210	244	467	63	1,874	37,534	887,631	...	220	6,496	73	5,069	121,390	53,209	47,241
<i>York Peninsula Division.</i>																					
Coen	450	...	...	...	18	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	652	69	...
Cook	4,455	...	...	...	84	20	...	...	...	...	...	100	2	...	5,680	1,066	1,885
Douglas	122	...	...	...	6	1	200	3,875	66,174	...	...	...	...	...	974	215	1,307
Palmer	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	180
Somerset	96	...	...	...	101	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,333	214	...
Total York Peninsula...	5,123	...	...	...	211	34	200	3,875	66,174	...	...	100	2	...	8,639	1,564	3,372
<i>Carpentaria Division.</i>																					
Burke	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	83
Cloncurry	7	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	230
Croydon	3	11	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	355	396
Etheridge	1,100	...	...	4	3	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	200	...	180
Hughenden
Norman
Richmond
Total Carpentaria	1,100	...	...	8	24	21	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	555	...	889
<i>Central-western Division.</i>																					
Boulia
Camooowal
Diamantina
Isisford
Jundah
Windorah
Winton
Total Central-western...

Table No. III.—continued

DIVISIONS AND PETTY SESSIONS DISTRICTS.	QUANTITY OF PRODUCE.																				
	GRAIN CROPS.							POTATOES.		Pumpkins and Melons.	Cotton.	SUGAR-CANE.		Arrowroot (Tubers).	Tobacco (Cured Leaf).	Coffee.	Hay (All Kinds).	VINES.	Bananas.	Pineapples.	Oranges.
	Wheat.	Oats.	Barley.		Maize.	Rye.	Rice.	English.	Sweet.			Area Crushed.	Weight Obtained.					Grapes Gathered.			
			Malting.	Other.																	
	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Lb.	Acres.	Tons.	Tons.	Lb.	Lb.	Tons.	Lb.	Bunches.	Dozens.	Bushels.
<i>South-western Division.</i>																					
Adavale ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Augathella ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bollon ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Charleville ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,500	...	...	...
Cunnamulla ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	300	...	...	...	157
Eulo ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hungerford ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
St. George	394	25	200	...	364	...	...	14	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	70	8,940	...	...	53
Thargomindah ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	350
Total South-western	394	25	200	...	364	...	...	20	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	373	12,410	...	...	560
<i>Central Division.</i>																					
Alpha ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,800	...	...	...
Aramac ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Barcoaldine ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	260
Blackall ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Clermont ... ..	...	...	...	...	225	...	...	6	6	12	2,537	...	...	...	...	...	15	...	...	...	834
Emerald	312	...	...	...	12	...	...	4	7	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	22	2,674	...	...	1,878
Longreach ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Muttaburra ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	3	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Springhurst	948	...	...	...	558	...	...	...	3	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	162	...	...	...	...
Tambo ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	3	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	220
Taroom ... ..	...	...	...	...	2,046	...	...	9	1	17	...	...	...	...	...	...	67	7,720	...	...	93
Total Central	1,260	...	...	...	2,841	...	...	33	21	37	2,537	...	...	...	...	...	266	12,194	...	...	3,285
<i>Maranoa Division.</i>																					
Mitchell	10,040	198	12	...	2,331	...	...	3	2	17	...	...	...	...	...	...	165	3,475	...	...	25
Roma	69,518	75	...	45	11,072	25	...	33	9	139	4,300	...	...	...	...	...	481	302,398	...	...	1,650
Surat ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	1,500	...	...	...
Yeulba	624	...	...	...	537	...	...	11	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	69	1,210	...	...	60
Total Maranoa	80,182	273	12	45	13,940	25	...	47	16	161	4,300	...	...	...	...	...	730	308,583	...	...	1,735
<i>Downs Division.</i>																					
Allora	103,339	1,812	2,145	11,160	132,020	...	...	228	...	55	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,014	7,200	...	...	2,304
Clifton	141,357	3,467	31,413	2,114	133,195	258	...	80	2	262	...	...	...	...	...	...	9,470	17,493	...	...	176
Condamine	15,074	303	87	...	4,160	...	...	8	...	53	...	...	...	...	...	...	544	4,722	...	...	115
Dalby	74,471	3,613	1,846	2,909	19,837	...	...	81	1	291	6,065	...	...	...	...	...	2,595	39,049	...	...	2,049
Goombungee	21,234	1,406	870	1,316	44,399	36	...	332	...	150	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,504	12,850	...	...	216
Goondiwindi	29,783	...	...	...	1,917	...	...	8	2	28	...	...	...	...	...	...	53	...	...	...	220
Highfields	8,274	1,345	2,223	411	44,670	69	...	648	...	54	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,172	32,640	...	...	1,290
Inglewood	39,445	408	250	120	3,272	...	...	71	...	138	3,157	...	...	...	26,420	...	714	3,270	...	...	63
Jondaryan	19,654	1,086	24	...	27,896	...	...	33	...	637	...	...	...	...	...	...	943	6,139	...	...	60
Killarney	103,968	937	249	6,673	187,658	...	...	241	...	27	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,276	12,522	...	...	42
Oakey	57,789	4,389	6,161	4,407	58,727	54	...	624	...	562	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,760	16,230	...	...	374
Pittsworth	112,065	7,205	28,393	48	73,054	12	...	152	1	622	570	...	...	...	...	...	7,889	7,054	...	...	166
Stanthorpe ... ..	...	...	...	...	2,652	...	...	383	1	21	...	...	...	...	...	...	156	107,695	...	...	...
Texas	1,032	...	...	...	1,765	...	...	11	...	156	...	...	...	...	34,896	...	302	800	...	...	...
Toowoomba	24,787	7,656	17,561	1,718	28,759	141	...	220	...	49	...	...	...	...	...	...	8,697	48,930	...	...	2,577
Warwick	182,123	6,565	14,292	3,592	206,108	...	...	918	...	748	...	...	...	...	...	...	9,339	21,666	...	...	106
Total Downs	934,695	40,192	105,514	34,468	970,089	570	...	4,038	7	3,853	9,792	...	...	246	61,316	...	61,478	338,260	...	...	9,758
Grand Total, 1917	1,035,268	44,688	108,518	35,056	4,188,586	595	210	22,139	10,725	28,628	76,656	108,707	2,704,211	4,019	107,576	16,242	153,895	1,338,511	1,356,837	944,282	400,999
„ 1916	2,463,141	108,664	173,210	76,957	3,018,934	1,668	...	19,457	5,331	37,511	24,264	75,914	1,579,514	3,501	231,967	15,530	145,279	1,876,184	1,051,212	867,221	227,545
Increase, 1917	...	...	...	...	1,169,652	...	210	2,682	5,394	...	52,392	32,793	1,124,697	518	...	...	8,616	...	305,625	77,061	173,454
Decrease, 1917	1,427,873	63,976	64,692	41,901	...	1,073	...	...	...	8,883	...	...	...	...	124,391	712	...	37,673	...	...	...

Table No. IV.

Showing the Total Extent of Land under Cultivation and the Area under each Description of Crop in Queensland—Return for Ten Years.

AREA UNDER EACH DESCRIPTION OF CROP.

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	GRAIN CROPS.					POTATOES.		SUGAR-CANE.			COFFEE.		VINES.		ORANGES.		MANGOES.		APPLES.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																			
	Total Extent of Land under Cultivation.	Land in Fallow Lying Idle, &c.	Total Extent of Land under Crop.	Wheat.	Oats.	Barley.		Maize.	Rye.	Rice.	English.	Sweet.	Pumpkins and Melons.	Cotton.	Area Crushed.	Total Area.	Arrowroot.	Tobacco.	Bearing.	Total Area.	Hay (all Kinds).	Lucerne and Green Forage.	VINES.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																															
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1908	650,472	114,572	535,900	80,898	1,797	5,411	1,974	127,665	32	7	6,227	2,720	9,581	540	92,219	123,902	246	669	235	323	65,004	87,672	1,554	1,616	4,647	2,171	2,072	3,121	279	351	157	390	616	2,644	2,875	3,041																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																		
1909	738,447	131,657	606,790	117,160	2,789	7,439	5,670	132,313	171	...	7,708	2,908	4,566	609	90,095	128,178	241	594	194	235	72,298	100,493	1,617	1,695	4,994	2,161	2,131	3,298	299	363	160	494	813	3,406	2,677	3,561																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																		
1910	779,826	127,713	652,113	106,718	2,637	3,222	2,356	180,862	105	...	8,326	3,661	4,160	400	94,691	131,779	369	635	175	200	98,562	89,049	1,528	1,634	5,198	2,161	2,291	3,401	250	332	144	503	934	3,375	2,317	2,977	3,588																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																	
1911	779,800	127,713	652,087	106,718	2,637	3,222	2,356	180,862	105	...	8,326	3,661	4,160	400	94,691	131,779	369	635	175	200	98,562	89,049	1,528	1,634	5,198	2,161	2,291	3,401	250	332	144	503	934	3,375	2,317	2,977	3,588																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																	
1912	844,420	175,397	669,023	124,963	4,232	7,400	2,047	183,916	19	15	7,688	3,312	4,121	605	36,766	130,376	369	692	182	198	67,643	135,354	1,325	1,428	7,037	2,414	2,361	3,417	309	366	121	627	1,345	5,293	2,386	3,447	309	366	121	627	1,345	5,293	2,386																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																											
1913	920,010	172,186	747,824	132,655	4,093	6,274	2,552	117,993	103	1	8,822	2,853	6,122	441	78,142	141,652	363	692	181	195	76,463	171,290	1,419	1,537	7,400	3,014	2,347	3,361	306	371	107	667	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,298	2,611	3,906	1,608	5,2

Table No. V.

Showing the Gross Produce of Principal Crops Raised in Queensland—Return for Ten Years.

QUANTITY OF PRODUCE.

Year.	GRAIN CROPS.										POTATOES.		Pumpkins and Melons.		Cotton Unginned.		SUGAR-CANE.				Arrowroot (Tubers).		Tobacco (Cured Leaf).		Coffee.		Hay (all Kinds).		Ensilage.		VINES.				Bananas.		Pineapples.		Oranges.		Mangoes.		Strawberries.		Apples.		Market Gardens.		Other Gardens and Orchards.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																												
	Wheat.	Oats.	Barley.		Maize.	Rye.	Rice.	English.	Sweet.	Pumpkins and Melons.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	Cotton Unginned.	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* Including 75 tons crushed in New South Wales.

Table No. VI.

AVERAGE PRODUCE PER ACRE OF PRINCIPAL CROPS IN QUEENSLAND—RETURN FOR TEN YEARS.

Year.	GRAIN CROPS.										POTATOES.			SUGAR.															
	Wheat.	Oats.	Barley.		Maize.	Rye.	Rice.	English.	Sweet.	Pumpkins & Melons.	Cotton Unginned.		Tons of Cane per Acre Crushed.		Tons of Sugar per Acre Crushed.	Arrowroot (Tubers).	Tobacco (Cured Leaf).	Coffee.	Hay (all Kinds).	Grapes.	Bananas.	Pineapples.	Oranges.	Mangoes.	Strawberries.	Apples.	Market Garden.	Gardens and Orchard.	
			Malting.	Other.							Lb.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.															
1908 ...	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Lb.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Lb.	Lb.	Tons.	Lb.	Tons.	Bunches.	Doz.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Quarts.	Bushels.	£	£
1909 ...	14.87	21.60	18.31	19.54	21.68	16.81	38.57	1.85	4.77	3.54	218	15.54	1.64	11.46	902	408	1.43	2,728	355	276	213	356	2,159	80	19	11			
1910 ...	13.41	17.93	13.92	15.87	18.96	14.37	...	1.76	4.35	2.87	254	14.53	1.68	6.45	757	459	1.34	3,018	280	330	186	307	1,534	60	23	11			
1911 ...	9.58	19.89	16.33	13.16	24.66	16.17	11.00	1.88	5.53	3.70	329	19.45	2.20	11.68	1,296	863	1.53	2,707	216	379	190	265	1,447	50	26	11			
1912 ..	6.64	10.38	9.18	10.07	23.63	9.68	26.80	1.70	5.14	3.05	309	16.02	1.81	8.70	805	444	1.54	2,301	178	319	201	464	1,133	70	26	11			
1913 ...	15.81	19.48	15.34	16.28	21.39	15.66	27.00	1.86	3.83	2.88	341	12.72	1.45	10.24	350	705	1.37	2,504	162	263	133	366	1,531	25	27	11			
1914 ...	13.34	13.74	12.42	14.90	24.97	10.45	23.60	1.64	4.47	3.08	165	20.29	2.36	12.91	780	1,132	1.36	2,824	140	247	156	443	1,590	59	26	12			
1915 ...	12.48	15.99	15.03	13.87	24.16	8.98	22.00	1.91	4.43	3.69	152	17.80	2.09	10.25	1,026	602	1.29	2,951	136	240	139	371	1,690	40	25	11			
1916 ...	4.42	7.24	4.63	8.44	13.68	20.35	23.00	1.28	3.61	2.25	170	12.20	1.49	7.51	493	588	0.98	2,556	148	248	132	262	1,090	30	21	9			
1917 ...	10.81	16.55	20.19	18.79	16.64	12.73	...	2.18	3.37	2.99	324	20.81	2.33	10.82	733	263	1.29	1,671	113	210	94	245	1,059	31	22	12			
†	8.10	14.89	18.67	18.56	25.37	13.84	35.00	2.06	4.82	3.36	576	24.88	2.83	10.92	372	325	1.60	1,613	148	227	146	156	694	40	27	17			
†	12.15	18.03	17.67	16.96	21.13	14.94	34.81	1.90	4.75	3.38	322	16.58	1.86	10.50	769	455	1.50	2,242	226	277	165	359	1,489	47	22	12			

† Average for twenty years (or since statistics have been collected).

Table No. VIII.

RETURN showing the TOTAL EXTENT of LAND CULTIVATED for HAY, together with the YIELD of HAY, and the AVERAGE YIELD per ACRE in each of the several PETTY SESSIONS DISTRICTS of the STATE during the YEAR 1917.

PETTY SESSIONS DISTRICTS.					HAY.									
					Wheat.		Oats.		Lucerne.		Other.		Total.	
					Acres.	Tons.	Acres.	Tons.	Acres.	Tons.	Acres.	Tons.	Acres.	Tons.
Allora	...	...	...	...	367	373	227	199	5,662	5,398	111	44	6,367	6,014
Beaudesert	...	...	...	...	4	7	168	197	1,444	4,857	27	43	1,643	5,104
Clifton	...	...	...	...	434	353	816	791	9,219	7,863	276	463	10,745	9,470
Crow's Nest	...	...	...	...	42	42	192	312	793	2,262	18	34	1,045	2,650
Dalby	...	...	...	...	1,115	1,063	660	863	342	482	107	187	2,224	2,595
Dugandan	...	...	...	...	2	2	114	164	2,275	5,243	268	547	2,659	5,956
Esk	...	...	...	...	...	...	81	144	1,886	6,002	50	83	2,017	6,229
Gatton	...	...	...	...	123	132	302	355	5,043	11,029	532	849	6,000	12,365
Goombungee	...	...	...	...	12	13	218	290	746	1,197	7	4	983	1,504
Gympie	...	...	...	...	21	22	174	270	451	874	34	28	680	1,194
Harrisville	...	...	...	...	...	...	318	461	2,756	6,147	699	1,163	3,773	7,771
Helidon	...	...	...	...	31	45	36	44	1,481	2,966	36	50	1,584	3,195
Highfields	...	...	...	...	42	43	165	198	1,046	1,903	24	28	1,277	2,172
Ipswich	...	...	...	...	...	...	36	44	372	1,031	67	128	475	1,203
Kilcoy	...	...	...	...	22	42	28	55	157	720	3	4	210	821
Killarney	...	...	...	...	92	71	217	213	1,959	2,891	53	101	2,321	3,276
Laidley	...	...	...	...	79	121	126	139	5,181	12,040	226	362	5,612	12,662
Lowood	...	...	...	...	1	1	49	62	763	2,098	23	32	836	2,193
Nanango	...	...	...	...	74	64	820	937	1,655	3,333	110	216	2,659	4,550
Oakey	...	...	...	...	593	711	1,196	1,390	4,919	5,473	143	186	6,851	7,769
Pittsworth	...	...	...	...	964	1,183	773	917	5,624	5,119	380	670	7,741	7,889
Rockhampton	...	...	...	...	91	146	158	190	992	2,625	173	223	1,414	3,184
Rosewood	...	...	...	...	2	2	133	220	1,419	3,768	263	464	1,817	4,454
Toowoomba	...	...	...	...	253	237	960	1,053	4,129	7,118	255	289	5,597	8,697
Warwick	...	...	...	...	452	487	1,133	1,160	7,004	7,301	374	441	8,963	9,389
All other Districts	...	...	...	...	2,431	2,209	1,801	2,359	6,029	15,902	677	1,218	10,938	21,688
Grand Total	{ 1917	...	...	...	7,247	7,369	10,901	13,027	73,347	125,642	4,936	7,857	96,431	153,895
	{ 1916	...	...	...	21,047	23,297	30,041	39,303	55,928	74,797	5,948	7,882	112,964	145,279
Increase, 1917	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17,419	50,845	...	...	...	8,616
Decrease, 1917	...	...	...	...	13,800	15,928	19,140	26,276	...	...	1,012	25	16,533	...
Average Yield per Acre	...	...	...	...	1.02		1.20		1.71		1.59		1.60	

Table No. IX.

RETURN showing the TOTAL EXTENT of LAND CULTIVATED for GREEN CROPS in each of the several PETTY SESSIONS DISTRICTS of the STATE during the YEAR 1917.

PETTY SESSIONS DISTRICTS.					GREEN CROPS.				
					Wheat.	Oats.	Lucerne.	Other.	Total of all Kinds.
					Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.
Allora	...	...	...	...	1,482	476	4,425	565	6,948
Beaudesert	...	...	...	...	31	129	222	318	700
Brisbane A	...	...	...	...	24	73	171	1,039	1,307
Clifton	...	...	...	...	3,350	1,702	4,162	1,614	10,828
Crow's Nest	...	...	...	...	72	317	84	181	654
Dalby	...	...	...	...	680	277	45	1,184	2,186
Dugandan	...	...	...	...	48	181	71	1,205	1,505
Esk	...	...	...	...	38	368	585	949	1,940
Gatton	...	...	...	...	182	133	126	1,003	1,444
Goombungee	...	...	...	...	395	470	197	507	1,569
Harrisville	...	...	...	...	8	165	42	788	1,003
Helidon	...	...	...	...	32	127	62	345	566
Highfields	...	...	...	...	60	343	50	337	790
Ipswich	...	...	...	...	9	129	84	468	690
Jondaryan	...	...	...	...	571	518	228	574	1,891
Killarney	...	...	...	...	231	596	3,748	562	5,137
Laidley	...	...	...	...	47	45	163	554	809
Lowood	...	...	...	...	9	193	161	859	1,222
Nanango	...	...	...	...	468	1,099	299	973	2,839
Oakey	...	...	...	...	1,019	3,051	1,529	1,919	7,518
Pittsworth	...	...	...	...	2,349	2,100	1,741	2,099	8,289
Rosewood	...	...	...	...	46	249	496	1,495	2,286
Toowoomba	...	...	...	...	420	1,964	1,869	914	5,167
Townshend	...	...	...	...	11	73	81	1,512	1,677
Warwick	...	...	...	...	2,122	380	3,548	1,270	7,320
All other Districts	...	...	...	...	2,805	1,281	1,273	6,265	11,624
Grand Total	{ 1917	...	...	...	16,509	16,439	25,462	29,499	87,909
	{ 1916	...	...	...	10,915	18,080	37,522	49,932	116,449
Increase, 1917	...	...	...	...	5,594	...	...	...	...
Decrease, 1917	...	...	...	...	...	1,641	12,060	20,433	28,540

Table No. X.

AVERAGE YIELD PER ACRE OF CROPS IN EACH DIVISION OF THE STATE FOR THE YEAR 1917.

Division.	GRAIN CROPS.							POTATOES.		Sugar-cane (to Acres Crushed)	Cotton.	Arrow-root (Tuber).	Tobacco (Dried Leaf).	Coffee.	Pumpkins and Melons.	Hay of all Kinds.	Grapes.	Bananas.	Pine-apples.	Oranges.
	Wheat.	Oats.	Barley, Malting.	Barley, Other.	Maize.	Rye.	Rice.	English.	Sweet.											
	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Tons.	Tons.											
Moreton	12.31	13.77	34.93	15.51	24.59	...	...	1.92	5.16	20.40	892	10.78	144	307	3.78	2.38	1,930	151	235	186
Wide Bay	7.76	16.61	11.14	...	27.53	...	...	1.98	5.50	28.75	526	6.83	...	300	3.50	2.04	2,267	151	172	115
Port Curtis ... ..	...	...	...	...	25.41	...	...	1.88	3.98	23.28	614	0.50	...	...	2.98	2.33	1,353	98	181	128
Edgecumbe ... ..	...	...	...	...	21.03	...	...	2.99	2.84	24.30	1,277	...	850	250	2.10	2.00	1,821	134	153	87
Rockingham ... ..	...	...	...	...	37.27	...	35.00	2.00	4.53	23.65	937	...	110	406	1.97	2.21	5,069	143	252	139
York Peninsula ... ..	...	...	...	...	36.59	...	...	...	2.03	17.08	100	...	...	100	2.43	2.00	...	173	120	60
Carpentaria ... ..	...	...	...	...	11.11	...	...	2.00	1.60	...	...	...	...	...	2.33	0.50	...	69	...	99
Central-western ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
South-western	1.63	25.00	8.00	...	9.10	...	...	2.50	...	...	...	...	...	...	1.33	1.53	3,110	...	...	62
Central	8.69	...	...	...	28.13	...	...	1.94	2.63	...	507	...	...	...	2.85	0.91	2,032	...	...	205
Maranoa	5.75	11.38	0.80	15.00	12.42	12.50	...	1.47	2.30	...	358	...	...	...	1.92	0.75	887	...	...	102
Downs	8.40	14.78	18.60	18.62	20.79	13.90	...	2.55	0.88	...	426	17.57	264	...	2.40	1.11	1,879	...	...	98
TOTAL AVERAGE YIELD, 1917	8.10	14.89	18.67	18.56	25.37	13.84	35.00	2.06	4.82	24.88	576	10.92	372	325	3.36	1.60	1,613	148	227	146
" " " 1916	10.81	16.55	20.19	18.79	16.64	12.73	...	2.18	3.37	20.81	324	10.82	733	263	2.99	1.29	1,671	113	210	94
INCREASE, 1917 ... ..	...	...	...	...	8.73	1.11	35.00	...	1.45	4.07	252	0.10	...	62	0.37	0.31	...	35	17	52
DECREASE, 1917	2.71	1.66	1.52	0.23	...	...	...	0.12	...	...	...	...	361	...	...	...	58	...	...	...

Table No. XI.
AREA, YIELD, AND VALUE OF CROPS, 1917.

Description of Crop.							Area.	Yield.		Value.	
							Acres.			£	
Cereals	...	{	Barley	{	Malting	...	5,813	108,518	bushels	18,538	
				{	Other	...	1,889	35,056	"	5,989	
			Maize	...	...	...	165,124	4,188,586	"	645,740
			Oats	...	...	...	3,002	44,688	"	5,958
			Rye	...	...	...	43	595	"	97
			Wheat	...	...	...	127,815	1,035,268	"	196,123
			{ Other Cereals—Rice			6	210	"	42		
Grass Seed	...	...	...	...	...	819	9,365	"	1,639	
Green Forage (all kinds)	...	...	...	...	...	87,909			439,545	
Hay	...	{	Lucerne	...	...	...	73,347	125,642	tons	420,901
			Oaten	...	...	...	10,901	13,027	"	75,557
			Wheaten	...	...	...	7,247	7,369	"	25,792
			Other	...	...	...	4,936	7,857	"	38,642
Straw	...	{	Oaten	...	...	...		292	"	876
			Wheaten	...	...	...		5,488	"	16,464
			Other	...	...	...		418	"	1,254
Pulse	...	{	Beans	...	...	...	11	209	bushels	55
			Peas	...	...	...	17	372	"	141
			Arrowroot (Tubers)	...	...	...	368	4,019	tons	4,019
Root Crops	...	{	Mangolds	...	...	...	51	444	"	1,110
			Onions	...	...	...	71	4,410	cwt.	2,800
			Potatoes	...	...	...	10,738	22,139	tons	196,484
			" Sweet	...	...	...	2,227	10,725	"	30,388
			Cassava	...	...	...	18	123	"	123
			Turnips (including Swede Turnips)	...	...	...	49	241	"	1,205
			Other (Carrots)	...	...	...	3	11	"	55
			Ginger	...	...	...		
Grapes, Productive	{	For table use	...	...	...	1,140	1,560,092	lb.	19,501	
		For wine	...	...	...		278,419	"	3,480	
		For drying purposes	...	...	...			
							(Wine made)				
							39,125	gallons			
" Unproductive	...	...	...	...	...	134				
Sugar-cane, Productive	...	...	...	...	...	108,707	2,704,211	tons	4,334,563	
" Unproductive	...	...	...	...	...	67,055				
Tobacco	...	...	...	...	...	289	107,576	lb.	5,486	
Market Gardens	...	...	...	...	...	1,991			54,017	
Orchards and Fruit Gardens	{	{	Almonds	...	...	...	3	51	bushels	41
			Apples	...	...	...	1,343	54,358	"	37,598
			Apricots	...	...	...	109	3,772	"	1,414
			Bananas	...	...	...	9,141	1,356,837	bunches	169,604
			Cherries	...	...	...	37	509	bushels	140
			Citrons	...	...	...	25	677	"	254
			Custard Apples	...	...	...	135	8,060	"	2,821
			Figs	...	...	...	10	657	"	164
			Gooseberries (Cape)	...	...	...	3	538	"	444
			Lemons	...	...	...	302	15,948	"	7,110
			Mangoes	...	...	...	290	45,316	"	11,518
			Nectarines	...	...	...	182	4,549	"	1,626
			Olives	...	...	...	1	14	"	3
			Oranges	...	...	...	2,746	400,999	"	103,591
			Passion Fruit	...	...	...	30	6,286	"	3,693
			Pawpaws	...	...	...	208	54,772	dozens	12,780
			Peaches	...	...	...	1,693	63,062	bushels	18,130
			Pears	...	...	...	232	3,885	"	3,367
			Persimmons	...	...	...	27	1,586	"	278
			Pineapples	...	...	...	4,166	944,282	dozens	102,297
			Plums	...	...	...	537	11,435	bushels	4,336
			Quinces	...	...	...	35	360	"	85
			Rosellas	...	...	...	7	477	"	89
			Strawberries	...	...	...	88	61,058	quarts	2,629
			Walnuts	...	...	...	2	1	bushel	
			Other (Private, &c.)	...	...	...	1,093			21,938
			Unproductive	...	...	...	2,637			
Other Crops	{	{	Broom Millet	...	...	...	393	182,405	lb. straw	1,889
			Cabbages	...	...	...	658	174,665	dozens	38,572
			Canary Seed	...	...	...	7,596	4,406,904	lb.	55,086
			Cocoanuts	...	...	...	919	19,815	dozens	2,477
			Coffee	...	...	...	50	16,242	lb.	609
			" Unproductive	...	...	...	1			
			Cotton	...	...	...	133	76,656	"	1,278
			Cowpea	...	...	...	21	536	bushels	268
			Cucumbers	...	...	...	208	108,919	dozens	4,538
			Green Beans	...	...	...	197	17,214	bushels	4,519
			Green Peas	...	...	...	178	9,964	"	3,779
			India Rubber	...	...	...	13			
			Lucerne Seed	...	...	...	46	2,820	lb.	212
			Millet Seed	...	...	...	547	823,280	"	3,430
			Peanuts	...	...	...	175	239,396	lb.	3,491
			Pumpkins and Melons	...	...	...	8,508	28,628	tons	82,305
			Sisal Hemp	...	...	...	50	240	cwt.	360
			Tomatoes	...	...	...	1,452	141,940	bushels	52,636
			Miscellaneous—	Linseed	4	20	cwt.	37
				Marrows	6	11	tons	33
				Garlic	1	11	cwt.	62
Total under Crop							727,958			£7,308,115	
Land in fallow							86,801				
Area under permanent artificially sown grasses							406,094				
New ground broken up during season							7,858				
Previously cropped land lying idle during season							175,419				
Total area of arable land							1,404,130				